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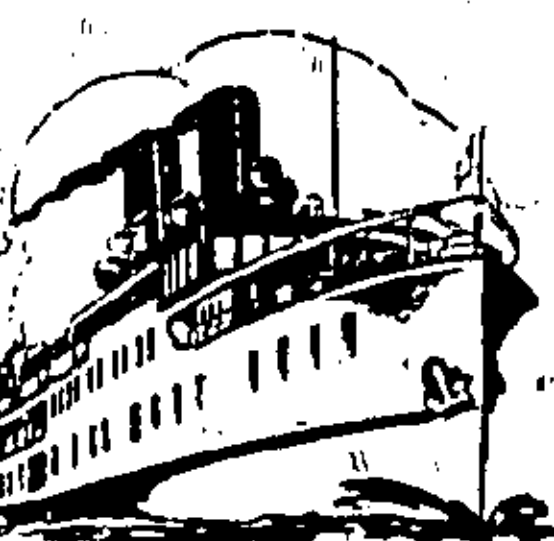
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The new Huijing airline, connecting Manchoukuo with North China, was opened on Nov. 15 with a ceremony at the East Arsenal airfield in the presence of representatives of the Huijing-Chahar Political Council and Lieutenant-General Kanichiro Tachiro, commander of Japanese army forces in China, states a Tientsin message to the "Manila Bulletin".

It was noteworthy that General Sung Chieh-yuan, chairman of the HOPO, was not present although, curiously, the Kuomintang anthem was played.

Guests were taken up in trial flights by eight planes.

Low fares were announced, averaging approximately one-half those of the Chinese National Airways Corporation, which is partially owned by Pan-American Airways, and of the Eurasian Line.

Hence, it was apparent the opening of the new routes would likely entail a deficit. However, observers believed the service was not being maintained to facilitate air travel but rather for the purpose of gaining control of aviation activities in North China.

### JAPANESE CONCERN

Japanese are understood to be most concerned over the activities of Pan-American Airways and Imperial Airways in connection with the opening of trans-Pacific service and establishment of a commercial air base in Hong Kong.

## China's Resources

MR. T. V. SOONG'S PLANS

Canton, Nov. 25. Mr. T. V. Soong, Chairman of the National Economic Council, arrived here by train yesterday. To-day he will preside at the opening of the Canton branch of the Bank of Canton.

Mr. Soong was accorded a most warm and enthusiastic welcome by the civil and military officials, and representatives of the leading commercial and banking bodies of the city. Mr. Soong's father being a native of Hainan Island, the Hainan Island community of Canton also united in giving him a rousing welcome.

It is reported that Mr. Soong has a big scheme for developing the mineral, timber and natural resources of Hainan Island, which will be financed and supported by the Central Government.

It is understood that the scheme includes road-making, construction work, the rebuilding of towns, and the creation of new harbours for shipping.

Mr. T. V. Soong is famed for his ability as a financier and economic expert, and Generals Li Tsung-jen and Pei Chung-hsi have invited him to pay a visit to Kweichow and give the Kwangsi authorities the benefit of his advice and experience.

Chinese Evening Press.

## MOTOR SMASH

Mount Davis Road  
Tragedy

### MISADVENTURE VERDICT

Further hearing of the death inquest of the late Mr. Odd Bruggard, Manager of Messrs. Thorsen and Company, who met his death in an unfortunate accident on Mount Davis Road on October 24, was heard before Mr. W. Schofield, at the Central Magistracy yesterday afternoon.

Mr. B. D. Evans held a watching brief for the driver whose lorry collided with the deceased's car. Mr. W. A. Mackinlay appeared on behalf of the deceased's relatives and Traffic Inspector Saunders was for the police.

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## KOWLOON-CANTON RAILWAY

Third Class Fare To  
Be Increased

### ON CHINESE SECTION

Owing to the loss sustained through the unfortunatous rate of exchange, the Management of the Chinese Section of the Kowloon-Canton Railway has decided to increase the fare of third class passengers from \$1.40 to \$1.60.

Although the proposed increase has been approved by the Superintendent, of both sections of the Railway, no public notification has been issued yet.

It is reported that the increase will be publicly notified on December 1 next.

Chinese Evening Press.

## Caligraphy Exhibition

BY CHINESE CHILDREN

The Hong Kong Chinese Educational Society is organizing an exhibition of caligraphy by the students of all the schools in the Colony.

The work of planning and organizing the exhibition is near completion, and the rules and regulations for the guidance of the youthful exhibitors have already been circulated.

Yesterday copies of these rules and regulations were sent to the different schools in the Colony, and all students desirous of sending specimens of hand-writing for the exhibition are requested to register their names.

The exhibition will be open to the public on December 13.

Chinese Evening Press.

## CAPTURE OF PAILINGMAO CONFIRMED

Town Falls After  
Seven Attacks

Peking, Nov. 25.

The capture of Pailingmao is confirmed from reliable sources in Kweichow which state that victory was due to brilliant tactics by the Suiyuan command. Learning that the invaders expected 5,000 reinforcements from Chahar on Nov. 25 the Chinese decided to attack immediately with two regiments of infantry and one of cavalry commanded by Generals Sun Lan Feng, Wang Chiang Kuo and Chao Cheng Shou respectively. This force made seven attacks on Pailingmao before the town fell. When aeroplanes flew over the town from Chahar yesterday they were greeted by the unwelcome sight of Chinese flags waving in the breeze. It is reliably reported that 4,000 defenders at Pailingmao were led by a number of Japanese. The victory at Pailingmao has raised the hopes of the Chinese for a clean sweep to be made by invaders not only in Suiyuan but also in Chahar the last part of which has been in the hands of the Manchoukuoans since last year.

Reuter.

### IMPORTANT VICTORY

Nanking, Nov. 25.

The capture of Pailingmao is regarded here as an important victory destroying the northern base of the "irregulars" who have been threatening at the rear of Suiyuan defenders, also menacing the line of communications between Suiyuan and Ninghsia. A further fall of the town will enable the Chinese troops to devote their entire attention on east Suiyuan.

Many papers characterize the capture as "the first step towards the recovery of China's lost territories."

The meeting between the Japanese Ambassador, Kawagoe and General Chang Chun within a week is now believed to be impossible as Chinese authorities are awaiting the report of Tuan Mou Ian who is investigating the situation in Suiyuan.

Interviewed this morning Gen. Ma Chan Shan, the famous defender of Nonni River Bridge, declared, "I greatly rejoice over the fall of Pailingmao although I am unable to participate in the battle, myself."

Unconfirmed reports state that Shantung was also captured by Chinese troops.

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## LONDON SILVER MARKET

(From Our Own Correspondent)

London, Nov. 25.  
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Nov. 24 Nov. 25  
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Forward ..... 20-15/16 21-1/16

## MANILA GOLD SHARES

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## SLUM CLEARANCE

HOW HONG KONG LAGS

Ceylon Sets Good Example

BY

E. J. M.

How often we hear Hong Kong referred to as the model city of the Orient and, as we are made to believe, one of the healthiest residential spots in the Far East. There is much evidence to prove these claims and the visitor is somewhat impressed by the clean-looking appearances which the towns present. Sanitary standards here appear to be higher than elsewhere, and the constant cleaning of houses and shops, carried out under Government supervision, is certainly reassuring.

### MERELY A CLOAK

However, all these merely constitute a superficial cloak to screen Hong Kong's slum-land, hidden behind pleasant residences and business establishments. Here Chinese families are literally packed like sardines in rather mouldy tenement buildings which in other cities would have long been condemned. The walls of the "flats" are nearly in all cases falling down through dilapidation; unsightly marks remain where chunks of plaster have fallen off.

Poverty in Hong Kong is in a distressing state. The Chinese are the main sufferers, and it is only natural that as long as there is a roof over their heads to shelter them from the elements, they have little urge to better their lot. Relief is perhaps a strange word to their ears and those who have benefited by it are few.

### HONG KONG'S INACTIVITY

While contemplating the conditions under which our poor are obliged to exist, it is of interest to realise what is being done towards slum-clearance in other cities of the world.

### CEYLON'S PART

Poor residents of the Kararuy slums, Jaffna, Ceylon, are being induced to move on to the Government reclaimed area where several cottages of varying sizes, costing from 400 to 1,600 Rupees are being constructed. The Jaffna Urban District Council obtained from the Central Government the lease of twelve acres, out of the reclaimed area, in order to house the slum dwellers of the most congested and insanitary part of the town. The Council has divided the leased land into 140 blocks, 44 of

which are nearly ten perches in extent each while the remaining 96 blocks are about five perches each. The sub-lease by the Council is for a period of 80 years with the option of renewal for a further period.

### OLD HOUSES DEMOLISHED

One of the conditions on which the Central Government sanctioned the lease of the reclaimed area was that an applicant for the sub-lease of a building site should, on occupying the new house which he puts up on that site, allow the Council to demolish the house he originally occupied if it does not conform to the requirements of the Housing Ordinance.

### PRIVATE ENTERPRISE

Enquiries made in Hong Kong reveal that the nearest approach to this method of relieving congestion in the local districts have nearly all in the past been attempted by private enterprises.

Some of these have proved successful but in most cases they have failed because of the intrusion of land and building speculators, but these have all catered to the middle classes and not to the working people.

### MODEL SETTLEMENTS

In this connection it is interesting to recall that, in 1911, a group of private residents, not a few of whom have been pioneers for the expansion of the Colony's residential areas over the Kowloon peninsula, planned a scheme to create

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## FOOD SHORTAGE PREVENTION

Construction Of Rural Granaries

### EXECUTIVE YUAN MEASURES

Nanking: As a preventive measure against the shortage of foodstuffs in the country, the Executive Yuan has promulgated a set of outlined measures for the construction of rural granaries and the accumulation of grains in various places.

The measures have been under formulation of the Ministry of Interior for some time. The present nation-wide shortage of foodstuffs as a result of flood, drought, banditry, and wholesale export by unscrupulous merchants prompted their early promulgation with a view to preventing the recurrence of a similar deplorable situation in the future and regulating food supply throughout the country.

According to the measures, granaries will be classified into six kinds.

Besides the accumulation of grains in readiness for famine, the granaries should also be utilized for the development of rural productive enterprises.

The detailed procedure for the establishment of granaries and the accumulation of cereals, the measures provide, should be fixed by the provincial authorities according to local conditions.—Central News Agency.

## DEVALUATION IN CHINA

Striking Progress

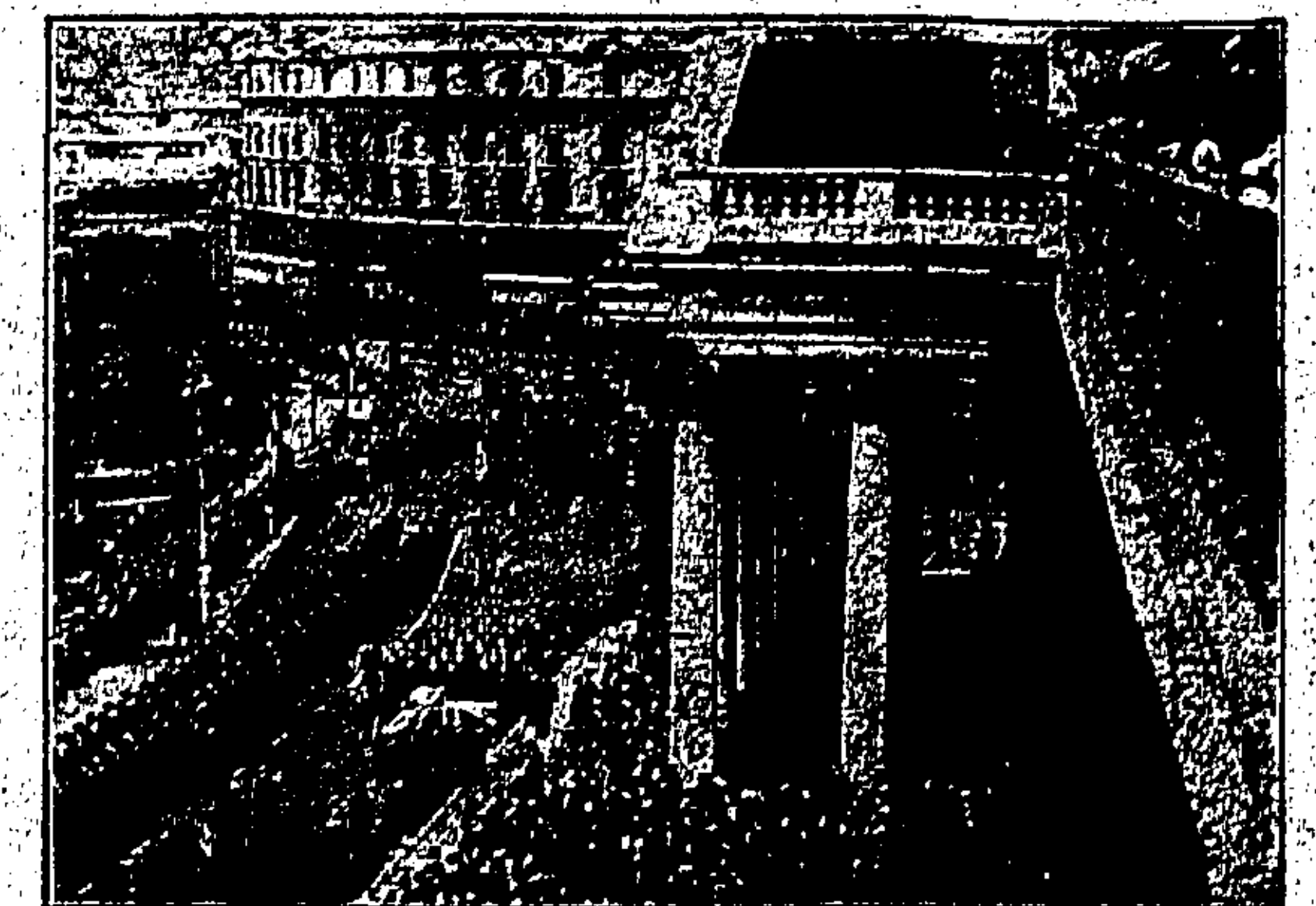
### GOVERNMENT'S FAR SIGHTED POLICY

London, Nov. 25.

During the twelve months which have elapsed since the Chinese devaluation and currency reforms much has happened to put heart into the once despondent holders of Chinese bonds says the "Financial News" in a leader to-day. Referring to the restoration of external equilibrium which was achieved only partly by the reduction of imports, the paper points out that this striking progress has been accompanied by the adoption of a vigorous and far-sighted policy by the National Government. Recent developments offer no reason for doubting Sir Frederick Leith-Ross's internal political survey given yesterday in which he referred to the ordered development under a strong Government having the full backing of public opinion and such internal revival as will tend to destroy conditions where social and political unrest flourishes.—Reuter.

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The funeral procession of Admiral Sir John Kelly (late C.-in-C. China Station) arriving at St. Martin-in-the-Fields, London



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## MR. BALDWIN ON THE FOLLY OF THE WORLD TO-DAY

### Spending Time On Arms Instead Of Raising Standard Of Life

Mr. Baldwin, speaking at the  
Lord Mayor's Banquet at Guild-  
hall recently, appealed to the na-  
tions to stop "the folly of all of  
us" in building up armaments,  
states the "Daily Telegraph."

While we were devoting time to  
making arms, he said, we were  
delaying the improvement of the  
standard of life of our people.

If the nations forgot the con-  
dition of their people, discontent  
and despair would make war more  
likely.

Mr. Baldwin was replying to the  
toast of "His Majesty's Ministers,"  
proposed by the new Lord Mayor,  
Sir George Broadbridge. Mr.  
Baldwin said:

"It used to be said that the fi-  
nancial leadership of the City of  
London in the world was founded  
on the Gold Standard, but our ex-  
perience in the last five years has  
demonstrated that the position of  
London is based on something  
deeper. The stability of our cur-  
rency has been dependent not on  
any material standard, but on the  
City's tradition of honour, of  
moderation and of public spirit  
which is always available for the  
guidance of the Government of  
the day, whatever its political  
complexion may be. In managing  
the financial affairs of the nation,  
and at a time when mistrust is  
rife in the world, and economic  
and financial systems are in a  
state of flux, there has been this  
centre of confidence and of stabil-  
ity to afford a rallying point.

REDUCING TRADE

OBSTACLES

"The Government will support  
all attempts to bring about a re-  
duction of obstacles to inter-  
national trade. At the same time  
it is to be remembered that they  
have already made a real and ef-  
fective contribution to the end in  
view by undertaking not to in-  
dulge in competitive devaluation  
and by maintaining a 'non-  
exclusive' imports policy.

"All the available data points to  
a continuance of the upward  
trend of trade as a whole."

"I rejoice at what has happened  
only in the last few days: a clear-  
ing agreement and a commercial  
agreement have been concluded  
with the Italian Government."

"The negotiations have been long  
and complicated, but it is hoped  
that the agreements now reached  
will enable trade between the two  
countries to be satisfactorily re-  
established on a basis which will  
promote a progressive return to  
normal conditions."

"It is traditional—but I am not  
sure I am going to be a slave to  
tradition to-night—that the Prime  
Minister should 'let observation  
with extensive view survey man-  
kind from China to Peru.'"

"I have mentioned that very  
well-known quotation because I  
know that in the City of London  
we all are, or ought to be, John-  
sonians. Therefore, we all know  
that those words appeared in a  
poem entitled 'The Vanity of Hu-  
man Wishes,' a title perhaps not  
wholly inappropriate to the cir-  
cumstances of the world to-day.  
(Laughter.)

BONDS WITH U.S.

Helping World Peace

"The foreign policy of the Gov-  
ernment has been so recently ex-  
plained by the Foreign Secretary  
in the House of Commons that I  
do not propose this evening to say  
as much as is usual on this oc-  
casion on that subject."

"With the United States of  
America our relations have, as  
always, been excellent, and his  
Majesty's Government are looking  
forward to a further period of  
friendly co-operation with the  
Government of President Roose-  
velt in all matters of common  
concern. (Cheers.)"

"It is particularly gratifying to  
his Majesty's Government to note  
that the main objective of their  
economic policies is the same,  
namely, the liberation of the  
world from the shackles which un-  
duly impede the free development  
of international trade, and par-  
ticularly those exceptional restric-  
tions of importation and exchange  
which were instituted during the  
period of economic depression."

"A further bond of sympathy be-  
tween the two countries has been  
the similarity of their outlook in  
the political field, and a keen de-  
sire to 'help' within the measure  
of their respective attainments, the  
cause of world peace."

TRADE WITH ARGENTINA

"I would turn for a moment to  
a country with which we have a  
long tradition of close friendship  
and collaboration—I speak of Ar-  
gentina."

"I must add a word about the  
trade negotiations which have  
been taking place with that coun-  
try. The negotiations have been  
arduous, and from their nature  
difficult, but they are now ap-  
proaching a conclusion, though I  
cannot yet say exactly what that  
conclusion will be."

"The interests of the two coun-  
tries are, to a large extent, com-  
mon, and it should not prove dif-  
ficult to settle outstanding  
difficulties, and I earnestly hope  
that we may shortly be able to  
announce that agreement has  
been reached."

"An event of great importance  
and of happy augury, which has  
taken place in the last year, has  
been the signature, after negotia-  
tions which, if somewhat pro-  
longed, were carried on in a spirit  
of the greatest friendliness, of a  
treaty of alliance with Egypt. His  
Majesty's Government regard with  
much satisfaction the solution of  
the Egyptian question thus reach-  
ed, and the placing of the re-  
lations between the two countries  
on a settled basis of mutual ad-  
vantage."

"The treaty should constitute an  
enduring element of stability in  
the international situation in the  
Eastern Mediterranean. We wel-  
come Egypt as our new ally.  
(Cheers.)"

RISE OF POLAND

Britain's Sympathy

"I should like to take this op-  
portunity to say how honoured we  
are by the presence among us this  
evening of the Foreign Minister  
of Poland. Poland has always en-  
joyed the sympathy and regard of  
my countrymen."

"In the past she has suffered  
more than any nation for the  
cause of national liberty, and the  
Poland of to-day has accomplish-  
ed a great effort of national re-  
vival. Under the leadership of  
that great soldier, Marshal Pi-  
sudski, she has won her place  
among the ranks of the great  
powers of Europe."

"She has re-equipped and de-  
veloped her economic resources  
ravaged by the war. She possesses  
the newest Navy of modern Europe  
to which we, as one of the oldest  
Naval Powers, extend our greeting.  
Her merchant ships are trading in  
every sea. The symbol of Po-  
land's maritime and commercial  
achievements has been the con-  
struction and development of the  
great port of Gdynia."

"In this sphere, as in all others,  
we look forward to developing a  
close collaboration between our  
two countries, both of which have  
the cause of world peace earnest-  
ly at heart."

HEALING WAR WOUNDS

"You spoke, my Lord Mayor, of  
peace. It is many years since I  
first had the honour of speaking  
in Guildhall as Prime Minister.  
It cannot, in the natural order of  
events, be that many more years  
should remain to me to do that.  
I am the more anxious to make  
one or two observations on a sub-  
ject ever present in my mind."

"After the war, I and my  
colleagues who were with me were  
devoting all our powers to trying  
to pull together our own country  
after the war. I know we all felt,  
as I felt so strongly myself, that  
through all Europe there was but  
one task that lay before the na-  
tion—that was to heal the wounds  
of those four deadly years and to  
try and improve the lot of the  
common people of Europe. Ma-  
terially and spiritually; to try to  
do something to ease that poverty,  
that suffering, that depression of  
the standard of life which we  
found in so many parts of Europe,  
which we found in our own coun-  
try, and which we have not yet  
with all our labours, completely  
erased."

"And to-day, while we are still  
finding and burying the bodies of  
the men who fell in the war, the  
whole of Europe is arming—a more  
inconceivable folly for those of us  
who have the responsibility of  
governing the great countries in  
Europe! What good can come of  
it?"

"In so far as we devote time to  
making arms, to that extent we  
delay the time when we can im-  
prove the conditions of the  
standard of life of our people."

"As we devote the greater part  
of our attention to arms, we de-  
lay the growth of that inter-  
national trade upon which alone  
can be securely based an im-  
provement in the conditions of the  
people in Europe."

"And if the nations of Europe  
devote for too long their care to  
these material things—to arms—  
and forget the condition of their  
people, there will grow discontent  
and despair, and, indeed, if these  
armaments continue I don't say  
they mean war, but they make  
war more likely. And there is no  
one in Europe to-day—and I do not  
care who he is—that does not  
know what war in the long run  
means."

"It means all over Europe a de-  
gradation of the life of the peo-  
ple. It means misery untold com-  
pared with which the misery of  
the last war was happiness, and  
it means, in the end, anarchy and  
a world revolution, and we all  
know it, and knowing it, what  
can our duty be but to come to-  
gether and save Europe?"

"And what is our position in this  
island home of ours? We are  
looking now to our defences, and  
quite right too. (Cheers.) I am  
prepared to devote all our efforts,  
whatever it may cost in men and  
money, to do what is necessary,  
but am conscious all the time  
of the folly of all of us."

"I say that the defence of this  
nation is unavoidable in world  
circumstances, and we are deter-  
mined to leave no stone unturned  
to do all that we may consider  
necessary."

(To be Continued)

## WANG CHING WEI STILL SUFFERING

Quo Tai Chi Honoured

London, Nov. 24.

Mr. Wang Ching-wei, still suf-  
fering from the effects of the  
wounds received at the hands of  
a 'would-be' assassin, has arrived  
here to take British medical ad-  
vice. It has been decided not to  
remove the bullet that remains  
buried in the statesman's back.

Moreover, Mr. Wang is suffer-  
ing from gall stones, and although  
his health is much improved after  
some months at Continental re-  
sorts, it is uncertain whether he  
can stand the strain of an opera-  
tion, of which German and French  
doctors disapprove.

Mr. Wang will see nobody during  
his stay in London except Mr.  
Quo Tai-chi, China's Minister at  
the Court of St. James.

Recently, Mr. Quo has been  
signally honoured. It is the  
custom of the City Livery Club at  
its brilliant annual banquet at the  
Guildhall in honour of the Lord  
Mayor, to invite one distinguished  
representative of every class. This  
year Mr. Quo was the diplomat  
invited, and accordingly repre-  
sented the whole of the large  
and imposing diplomatic corps in  
London.

The ex-Lord Mayor, Sir Maurice  
Jenks, paid a warm tribute to the  
manner in which Mr. Quo dis-  
charges his duties in London. But  
said Sir Maurice, another reason  
behind the selection of Mr. Quo as  
the diplomatic representative at  
the banquet, was the city's wish  
to show its appreciation of the  
remarkable progress made by  
China in her recent recovery and  
development—  
Heuter.

NANKING EXPOSITION  
FOR 1937

It is reported that a committee  
consisting of representatives of  
the National Economic Council,  
Re-construction Department and  
National Athletic Association are  
planning and organizing an arts  
and crafts exposition for ad-  
vancing the sale and consumption  
of home-made goods.

It has been proposed to hold the  
exposition in the New Museum  
Buildings in Nanking in May 1937.

The exposition will continue in  
Nanking for one month, and may  
then be transferred to Shanghai.

Marshal Chiang Kai-shek has  
been elected Chairman of the ex-  
position committee, consisting of  
Messrs. Ng Ting-chang, Kung,  
Chang-hai and many others.

It is reported that the Hong  
Kong Chinese Chamber of Com-  
merce has been invited to co-  
operate—  
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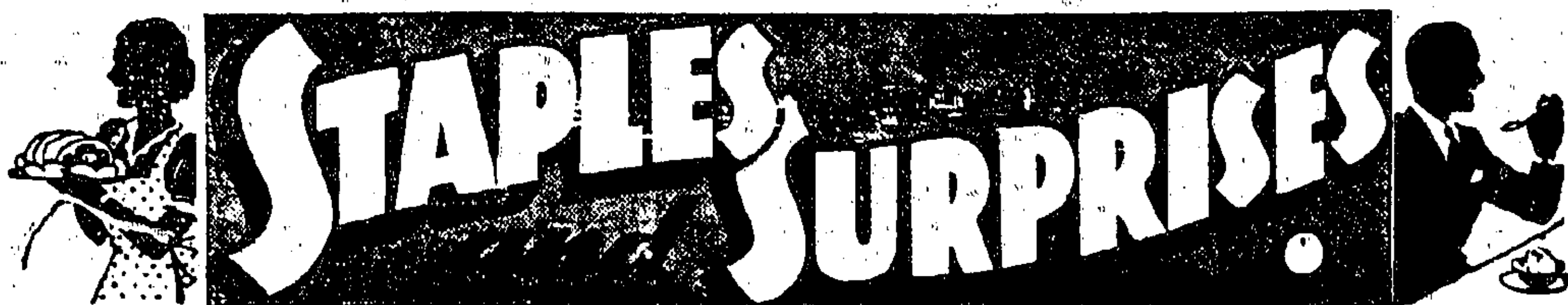
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## RECIPES FOR PORK AND HARE

You can vary the menu frequently by making more of the fine pork and hare.

### WITH ORANGE STUFFING

Try roast pork with orange stuffing on Sunday. Four to four and a half pounds of pork, boned and ready for roasting, makes a good family joint.

For the stuffing, mix together two cupsful of fine breadcrumbs, a small cupful of shredded suet, a tablespoonful of finely chopped parsley, and a teaspoonful each of thyme and powdered sage. Add salt and pepper, and blend together with the juice of one large or two small oranges and half a lemon.

Arrange the stuffing on the pork, roll and tie at each end and in the middle. Sprinkle with flour, then bake in a hot oven for the first half hour, then in a moderate one for 1½ hours. Serve with baked potatoes, vegetable marrow and gravy.

### SALTED PORK

A small leg of pork, salted then boiled, is an economical dish. Choose a small, well-filled leg, rub well in with salt (mixed with a teaspoonful of salt-petre and 1½ lb. brown sugar to 1 lb. black salt).

Let it remain in pickle for a week, turning and rubbing daily. Then soak in cold water for two hours before it is to be cooked. Put into a saucepan, cover with cold water and boil gradually, removing scum which rises, then simmer gently until tender.

### BOILED AND BAKED

A tasty way of cooking a leg of pork which agrees better with some people than when roasted in the usual way, is to boil it partly then to finish cooking it in the oven.

When it is nearly cooked remove the joint from the saucepan and cut a slit in the knuckle. Fill the space with sage and onions, chopped, and seasoned with salt and pepper.

Score the skin no deeper than the outer rind, flour all over, and roast in a hot oven for an hour. Serve with apple and bread sauce.

### BACON RISsoles

Instead of keeping bacon only for breakfast, try these savory bacon rissoles for dinner.

To make them mince ½ lb. cold boiled bacon and onion and mix with ½ lb. cold mashed potatoes, 1 teaspoonful chopped parsley and 2 ozs. white breadcrumbs. Add salt and pepper to taste and bind to a stiff mixture with a beaten egg. Put on a floured board and form into cakes. Roll in browned breadcrumbs and fry brown in boiling fat.

### BACON AND BEANS

Two good-sized rashers of bacon, ½ lb. butter beans, and 1 pint of parsley sauce make a delicious supper dish for two people.

Soak the beans overnight in cold water and cook in water or stock until tender, then drain. Cut the bacon into small pieces and fry, adding a little additional bacon fat if necessary.

Toss the beans in with the bacon until all the fat is absorbed, place on a dish, cover with parsley sauce and serve hot with slices of toast.

### RABBIT PUDDING

Satisfying and savoury is rabbit pudding.

Wash and joint the rabbit, excluding head, liver and neck; they can be stewed for gravy.

Season with salt, pepper, mixed herbs, and sprinkle with a small chopped onion and flour. Mix with ½ lb. cut-up pork.

Line a large pudding basin with suet crust, fill the basin with the pork and rabbit cover with cold water or stock, and top with a thickish piece of crust.

Tie down with greased paper, and steam for three hours. Turn out and serve with thick gravy.

### SAVOURY HOT-POT

Cooked in a casserole, rabbit retains all its flavour and nourishment.

Joint the rabbit, season with salt and pepper, inside and out, then fry lightly in dripping with three rashers of bacon.

Place in a casserole, and add a fried, sliced onion and a sliced carrot.

Sprinkle with flour and a teaspoonful of mixed herbs, cover with water and a lid and cook in a moderate oven for two hours.

Before serving, thicken the gravy.

## USEFUL CHUTNEYS

These chutneys are particularly useful because they can be quite easily made and the ingredients are easy to get.

Chutneys often make all the difference to cold meats whether they are home-made or some of the excellent proprietary kinds.

### BANANA CHUTNEY

Peel and slice with a stainless steel knife a dozen bananas. Chop finely a pound of cooking apples, half a pound of onions and six ounces of seedless raisins. Put these with the banana into an enamelled saucepan with half a pint of white wine vinegar, half a pound of granulated sugar, a dessertspoonful of curry powder, salt, cayenne pepper and half a teaspoonful each of ground ginger and powdered cinnamon.

Simmer slowly for two to three hours being careful to stir to prevent burning. Cool and put into pots like jam.

### GREEN TOMATO CHUTNEY

Chop up finely five pounds of green tomatoes, sprinkle them over with salt, cover them and let them stand all night.

In the morning drain off the liquid, and put the tomato into the stewpan with two pounds of apple and a pound of onions cut up, add a pound of brown sugar, a quart of vinegar, half a pound of treacle, and some cloves, all-spice and pepper corns tied up in a muslin bag.

Boil all together until the tomatoes are tender (about an hour) take out the bag of spices, put a cover when cold.

### TOMATO SAVOURY

Peel half a pound of tomatoes, and chop up with half an onion and one pimiento. Put a lump of butter into a saucepan, and when melted add the tomato mixture.

Stir until soft, then sprinkle with paprika, salt, and a grating of nutmeg. Beat two eggs with a dessertspoonful of milk, pour into the pan, and stir together until soft and creamy. When the eggs are added the pan should be removed from the heat altogether to prevent the eggs from getting hard. Put back for a second or two if necessary. Pour on to squares of buttered toast and serve at once. A few mushrooms may be used if pimientos are unobtainable.

## SANDWICH SURPRISES

### For A Buffet Supper

A few tasty sandwiches alongside the bridge rolls and sausages on sticks will be enjoyed by guests at a buffet supper party. Here are some ideas for fillings.

Sardines mashed with a few drops of lemon juice, a tablespoonful of mayonnaise, pepper and salt, are always popular. Spread the paste on bread and butter, decorate with a thin slice of hard-boiled egg, then form into a sandwich.

Fresh shrimps are sure to tempt and will not fall to pieces. Squeeze a few drops of lemon juice over the picked shrimps, add a pinch of salt, and a little chopped gherkin, moisten with mustard, then spread between bread and butter.

### FRUIT AND NUT

One or two fruity sandwiches are refreshing. Mince together equal quantities of raisins and nuts and moisten with a little cream. Spread between thin bread and butter or water biscuits.

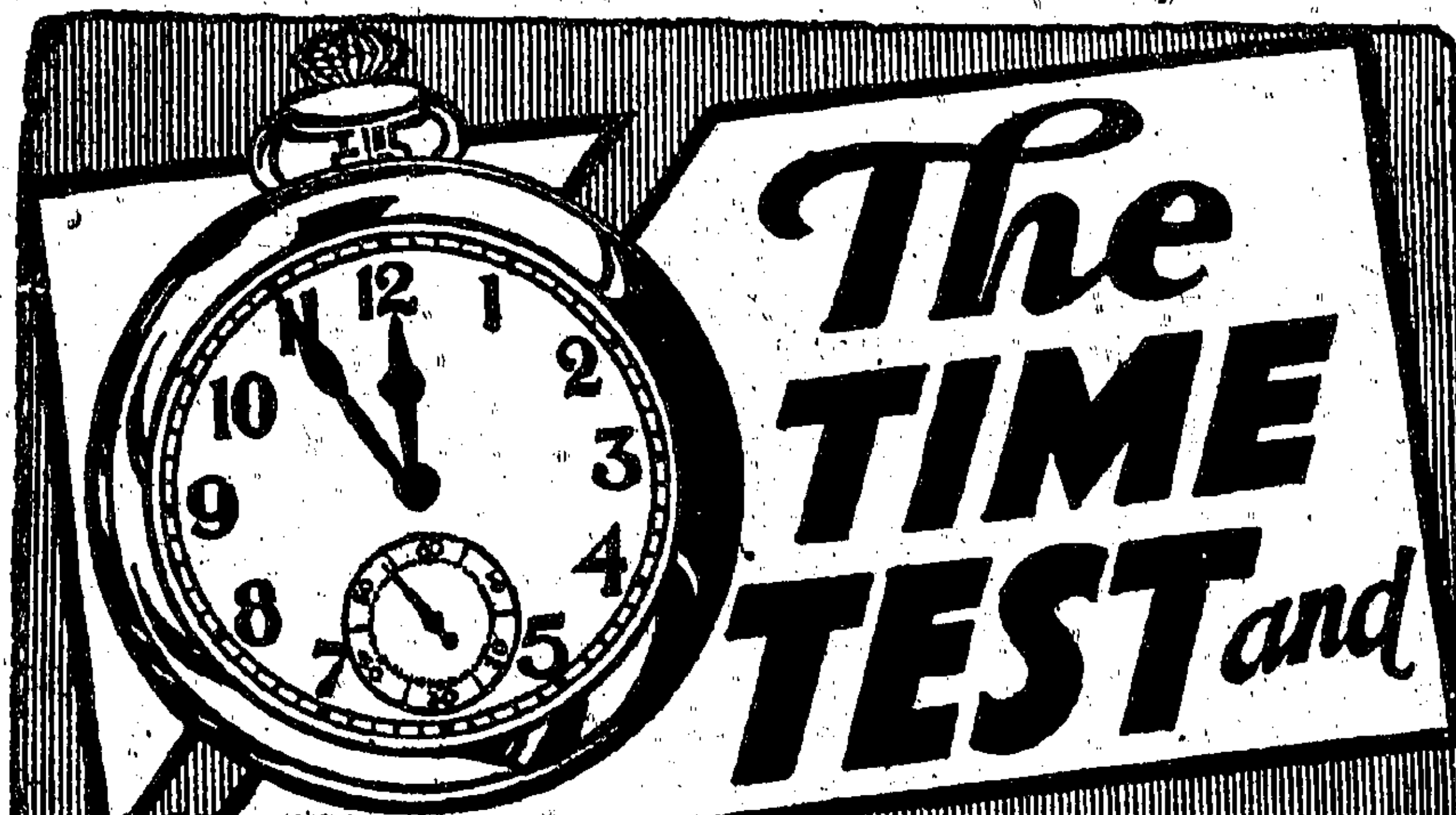
### BANANA SPREAD

Bananas mashed with lemon juice and a few chopped nuts will also prove popular. Raspberry jam and banana are also relished as filling by guests with a sweet tooth.

### MARMALADE CAKE

This cake is a change from either an ordinary fruit cake or its usual alternative, a sponge sandwich. It has a pleasantly sharp flavour, and the marmalade peel gives it an added interest. One of the sandwich tins with a loose bottom, measuring six or seven inches across, is suitable for the following quantities.

Cream four ounces of butter with four ounces of sugar. Beat in one large egg or two small eggs with a little of the weighed and sifted six ounces of self-raising flour. Stir in tablespoonfuls marmalade and the rest of the flour. If two eggs are used, avoid using too much of the thinner part of the marmalade. In any case, the marmalade chosen should be of fairly thick consistency, with coarsely cut peel. The home-made kind is usually too light and fine. Bake in a fairly slow oven.



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## TWO LITTLE CROSSES

### Remembrance Day Tribute

In the Field of Remembrance outside Westminster Abbey, London, a British officer on Nov. 11 planted two small crosses. By this action he linked Remembrance Sunday with the earliest days of the Great War, states the "Bulletin."

The officer was Squadron Leader D. S. Jilings, first British soldier to be wounded on the Western Front.

The crosses were in memory of the first two British soldiers to be killed, Lieutenant C. G. C. Bayly and Second Lieutenant V. Waterfall.

### BRITILE PACTS

"You can argue against war and the wickedness of resort to war, but when the trumpets sound you will have to plunge into it," declared the Bishop of Salisbury at a Remembrance Day service, one of the thousands held throughout the country.

"We have learned in the last few years, how covenants, pacts, international conferences, and leagues are but brittle bait when a nation's leaders summon it to war," he continued.

"Pacifists passionately proclaim that since to use force is an outrage of the teaching of Christ nothing will ever again induce them to protect themselves or others from violence by force of arms."

"But who does not know that circumstances might arise which would make you use any weapon available for physical destruction if thereby you could protect from horrible treatment, the woman be-

## RUMANIAN-POLISH AGREEMENT

Bucharest, Nov. 24.

The Rumanian Foreign Minister, Antonescu left this city on Tuesday for Warsaw, where he will make an official visit. Before his departure he had a conference with Premier Tatarescu. The Rumanian press states that the visit is for the purpose of restoring the Rumanian-Polish Agreement as an effective political instrument.

This agreement was, at its initiation, intended as a defence agreement against an attack by Soviet Russia against either country.—*Transocean News Service*

### CALL TO BE READY

"Neither professed pacifism nor signatures on parchment will bring the dawn upon the darkness of aggressive war."

Admiral Gordon Campbell, speaking at the British Legion memorial service at Alexandra Palace, London, said:

"Jellicoe and Haig were open to criticism, much of it unfair and unjust, but he who served under them during the war know that when the history of their deeds is written this criticism will be proved wrong, and this Empire will be proud of their leadership and sound judgment."

"A new generation has taken the place of the men who fought in the war, and it is to them that we old soldiers and sailors look for the maintenance of peace."

"Every man and woman in this country should equip themselves to be ready if there ever be a day of emergency. If we do that to maintain peace those whom we commemorate to-day will not have died in vain."

## SEAPLANE HARBOURS

### At Wake And Midway Islands

State department officials in Washington said recently that the proposed construction of sea plane harbours at Midway and Wake Islands, in the Pacific Ocean, is devoid of military significance and Representative Sam D. McReynolds, chairman of the House of foreign affairs committee, concurred in the statement, states the "Manila Bulletin."

War department officials disclosed that army engineers have recommended construction of a \$1,000,000 sea plane base at Wake in addition to a \$500,000 project at Midway. The latter project was disclosed recently.

### JAPANESE NERVOUS

In Tokyo, the Japanese news agency Domei reported that Japanese naval officials were nervous and apprehensive over the reports, anticipating termination of the unfortification clause of existing treaties. The Japanese navy officials say the projects show that America is adhering to "cross ocean tactics" and they added that the bases would give America a battle formation circling Japan, with Luzon, in the Philippines, to the south, Midway in the east and the Aleutian Islands in the north.

The office of the speaker of the United States House of Representatives said that the army engineers had filed

a number of confidential recommendations on development of Midway.

Other congressional sources disclosed that the chief recommendation, filed last September, suggested a \$541,000 appropriation for deepening the channel in Welles Harbour at Midway. Another informed quarter said that improvements at Guam might be proposed later.

### FORTIFICATIONS DENIED

Acting Secretary of State R. W. Moore said that the projects have "no relation to fortifications" in the Pacific nor the Washington navy treaty. He said that the construction was to facilitate commercial activities only, providing landing places for planes navigating the Pacific. He added that such navigation "may become very frequent in the future."

### FOR COMMERCIAL AIRLINERS

Reynolds asserted that no Asiatic power "could have objection to the project once its nature is understood." He said that the proposed development is merely intended to provide a safe base for commercial airliners and is far too small to have military significance.

Construction of the base at Midway was recommended by Major General Edward M. Markham, chief of the army engineers. The development would consist of a basin 1,200 feet square and eight feet deep. Midway, it was pointed out, is protected by a suitable break-water. The project to cost \$500,000, would require an annual maintenance fund of \$15,000.

At the present time Midway, Wake and Guam are being used as bases for giant trans-Pacific Clipper planes.

## MAPPING INDIA

### PUNJAB COMMUNAL TROUBLE

The history of the Geological Survey of India, a body whose romantic activities are seldom realised by the man in the street, is sketched below in a press note from the Public Information Bureau, Government of India, states the "Colombo Times."

A map of India that has taken nearly a century to prepare and involved the sacrifices of dozens of lives is steadily nearing completion.

The story of the launching of this work in the middle of the last century, of the dangers and difficulties encountered, and its inestimable value to the nation as a whole is one of the most remarkable in the history of the Government of India.

This map is a patchwork of colours, representing different features, except for a few small white blanks. It is these blanks that are being filled in gradually by that little known department of Government, the Geological Survey of India. In a few years' time, the map and voluminous records will have reached the point where it may be said that the first survey of rock formations throughout India has been achieved.

One of the main factors that led to the setting up of Geological Survey Department was the necessity for supplies of domestic coal for steamers on the Ganges early in the last century. This led to a Committee to inquire into coal supplies, which pointed out that to begin with, the coal seams in India ought first to be located.

## KING GEORGE STATUE

### SITE WILL BE HEART OF EMPIRE

Final arrangements for the setting up of a statue to King George on a site facing the Houses of Parliament and adjoining Westminster Abbey, a simple and inspiring monument "in the heart of Empire" have now been made. That is the announcement published recently by the Lord Mayor of London, Sir Percy Vincent.

Sir Percy states that the successful completion of the objects of the National Memorial Fund to King George is assured, following a widespread response from the United Kingdom, the Empire and abroad.

"As regards the site" the statement adds, "it has been decided to acquire and demolish the houses surrounding the Jewel House opposite the Victoria Tower."

NEED FOR A SURVEY  
In other words, that there should be a Geological Survey. With the approval of the Government of Bengal, this recommendation was sent to the Court of Directors in London, who acted most promptly in engaging and sending out a geologist for this work, Mr. H. D. Williams, who arrived in India in 1845.

Like many other geologists who followed him in India, Mr. Williams, without the knowledge or equipment available to-day, fell victim to jungle fever and died within three years. But he had in that short time proved the value of such investigation, providing information about the Raniganj, Ramgarm, and Karanpura coalfields.

## POLISH AGITATION FOR COLONIES

Warsaw, Nov. 23.

The Polish Naval and Colonial League staged demonstrations in all the more important towns on Sunday, in favour of Poland's claim to colonial expansion.

The resolution adopted at all the meetings affirmed that the colonial problem was one of the most vital questions for the Polish state since Poland needed raw material in order to build up her industry as well as a market for her industrial products. Until this was done her unemployment problem would remain very acute.

Access to territories overseas must be made open for Polish immigrants in order to improve the conditions for living alike in the towns and in the country.

In conclusion the resolution welcomed the efforts of the Polish Government to obtain an international solution of the problem of Jewish immigration from Poland and assured the Government of the Polish people in any further steps it might take in this direction.—*Transocean News Service*

## STUDENTS' STRIKE

Warsaw, Nov. 24.

The students of the Pilsudsky University in Warsaw have joined the strike, demanding that Jewish students be assigned special sections of seats during lectures, and are not to be permitted among Polish students. A dead lock exists, 900 men and 500 women having occupied the main auditorium of the University, and refuse to leave before their demand is fulfilled.—*Transocean News Service*



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"The Great Ziegfeld"—You never  
looked so beautiful—Jimmy  
Dorsey and His Orchestra.  
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82 (Giazounov), played by  
Heifetz and the London Phil-  
harmonic Orchestra, Conduct-  
ed by John Barbirolli.  
8.22 p.m.—  
A Recital by Georges Thill  
(Tenor).  
8.39 p.m.—  
"Romeo and Juliet"—Overture  
Fantasia (Tschikowsky), played  
by Willem Mengelberg and  
His Concertgebouw Orchestra.  
8.56 p.m.—Cradle Song—Brownie  
(Ellis and Holbrooke), Op. 75  
—Doris Vane.  
9 p.m.—London—News and An-  
nouncements—(Soprano).  
9.20 p.m.—  
Four Old Numbers by Ramona  
and Her Grand Piano.  
9.33 p.m.—  
Hawaiian Melodies.  
Hawaiian Love Bird.  
Smiling eyes.  
Rock me in a cradle of Kalua,  
Maybe it's the moon.  
9.46 p.m.—

Four Songs by Jack Buchanan  
(Comedian).  
10 p.m.—London—Big Ben.  
Dance Music.  
11 p.m.—Close Down.

### BERLIN PROGRAMME

6.55 p.m.—Call DJA, DJE, DJE  
(German, English).  
German Folk Song.  
7 p.m.—Concert of Light Music  
8 p.m.—News in English.  
8.15 p.m.—Concert of Light Music  
(continued).  
8.55 p.m.—Greetings to our Listen-  
ers in the "Far East."  
9 p.m.—News and Economic Review  
in German and Call DJQ.  
9.15 p.m.—Brass Band.  
9.45 p.m.—German Folk Songs for  
the Lute.  
Oskar Besenfelder  
10 p.m.—News and Economic Re-  
view in English on DJE, DJQ  
in Dutch on DJA, DJB  
10.15 p.m.—To-day in Germany.  
Sound Pictures.  
10.30 p.m.—The Kaleidoscope of  
Opera.  
11.45 p.m.—Young Authors: Gun-  
ther Gablenz.  
12 midnight.—Sign off DJA, DJB,  
DJQ, DJE (Ger., Eng.)

### RADIO MANILA

5.30 a.m.—Breakfast Hour of News  
and Music—English and Span-  
ish Current Events and Vaude-  
ville of the Air conducted by  
Don Alva.  
7 a.m.—Sign Off.  
9.30 a.m.—Nielsen Financial Review  
and Musical Varieties.  
11.15 a.m.—Sign Off.  
2.30 p.m.—Nielsen Financial Review  
and Musical Varieties.  
3.45 p.m.—Sign Off.  
6 p.m.—Tirso's Mabuhay Orchestra.  
6.15 p.m.—Spanish Informational  
Period.  
6.35 p.m.—English Informational  
Period.  
6.55 p.m.—Stock quotations, through-  
out the courtesy of Swan, Culbert-  
son and Fritz.  
7 p.m.—Consuelo Salazar, soprano.  
7.15 p.m.—To be announced.  
7.30 p.m.—"Rincon Espanol" fea-  
turing Ramon Estrella.  
7.45 p.m.—"The Voice of Life"—An  
Elizalde-United States Life In-  
surance Company Presentation.  
8 p.m.—Chamber Music Pro-  
gramme, under the Auspices of  
the Philippine Society for  
Chamber Music and the Philip-  
pine Cultural Concerts Society.  
8.30 p.m.—Studio Music.  
8.35 p.m.—Casale Optical Informa-  
tion.  
8.40 p.m.—Stock Quotations and  
Local Market Reports.  
8.55 p.m.—Stock Quotations in  
Spanish, through the courtesy  
of L. R. Nielsen & Co.  
9 p.m.—Litterine Amateur Hour,  
with Baron Unterhelsen, Mas-  
ter of Ceremonies.  
9.30 p.m.—Popular Dance Music.  
10 p.m.—Sign off.

### CLASSES RESUME

Warsaw, Nov. 24.  
Classes have now been resumed  
at Lemberg University and Tech-  
nical High School after the 30  
days recess imposed because of  
trouble between Jewish and Po-  
lish students. According to news-  
paper reports the Jewish Students  
capitulated to the Polish stu-  
dents' demands, and agreed to  
sit in a specially allotted section  
during lectures.  
Disorders continue at Cracow  
University, where clashes between  
Polish and Jewish students re-  
curred on Monday.  
The situation at the University  
of Vilna seems to be improving,  
and it is announced that through  
a special decree of the rector,  
classes will be resumed within a  
short time.  
Reuter.

### ITALY'S WAR DEBT TO AMERICA

Rome, Nov. 24.  
The news of the resumption of  
payment of the war debts which  
Italy owes the United States, was  
confirmed. Hitherto negotiations  
have chiefly been concerned with  
the question of using export sur-  
pluses, so as gradually to work  
off the indebtedness. It is stated  
that the motive which has led to  
re-opening the question is that Italy  
desires to regain access to the  
American loan market from which  
it was debarred by the U.S.  
Johnson Act, which places a  
loan embargo on countries that are  
in default in their obligations to  
the United States.  
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### ANGLO-EGYPTIAN TREATY

Approved Without  
Opposition

London, Nov. 24.  
The House of Commons to-day  
approved the new Anglo-Egyptian  
treaty without opposition.  
The provision of the treaty  
meant that Britain must protect  
Egyptian territory from invasion.  
Mr. Anthony Eden, the Foreign  
Minister, told the House in moving  
ratification of the pact.  
"The safety of Egypt is the  
great common interest uniting  
that country and the United King-  
dom," said Mr. Eden.  
Because of the Suez Canal, the  
integrity of Egypt was a vital fac-  
tor in the interests of the British  
Empire, the Foreign Secretary  
went on, as well as of Egypt her-  
self.  
While the Governments of the  
Dominions of the British Empire  
had not signed the treaty, they  
had been kept informed at every  
stage of negotiations, Mr. Eden  
concluded.  
Hansard, Nov. 24, 1936.

### THREE GERMANS ARRESTED

Moscow, Nov. 24.  
Three more German subjects  
have been arrested by the autho-  
rities in the Soviet Union, accord-  
ing to information sent out by the  
Information Bureau of the Foreign  
Affairs Commissariat. It has also  
been learned that the German  
factory manager, Heinrich Schaefer,  
was arrested on October 21 for  
"counter-revolutionary activities."  
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## THE BRITISH TASK

Appeasement In  
Europe

### STRENGTH OF ARMS AND PURPOSE

The debate on foreign affairs on  
Nov. 6, in a House of Commons  
better attended but still not over-  
full, revealed considerable traces of  
unanimity. The House at least  
showed itself ready to take Mr.  
Eden's review in its professed in-  
tention of being a plain statement  
of policy, and the Foreign Secre-  
tary commanded the attention of  
respect without exciting the ex-  
hilaration of enthusiasm, states  
"The Times."  
He began with a firm reproof to  
certain recent examples of  
diplomacy by propaganda, and by  
contrasting these efforts with his  
own intention to make a plain  
statement to Parliament, "the au-  
thority which we prefer."  
The guiding principle of the Govern-  
ment's policy was to bring con-  
fusion on the present sneers  
against the League of Nations.  
**POLITICAL REALITIES**  
Of course the League was not at  
present the instrument that we  
should all like it to be, but among  
present political realities he num-  
bered the fact that the League  
principles were better than any-  
thing else which statecraft had  
devised, even if some nations did  
not think so. Until they did think  
so, the League's authority could  
not be complete. That was an-  
other "reality," and yet another  
was our determination to defend  
our legitimate interests as a nation,  
though we believed that would not  
be at the expense of the interests  
of others.  
In pursuance of this policy the  
Government had tabled proposals  
to ensure earlier action by the  
League in case of a dispute, and to  
dispel the impression that the League  
existed only to maintain the  
"status quo." They were also try-  
ing to gather a conference of the  
League Powers and had com-  
municated with them afresh yester-  
day. The exchanges had re-  
vealed differences, not unexpected  
nor insuperable, but formidable.  
He would only say that success  
was not only a British interest.

### GERMAN ILLUSIONS

Passing to relations with other  
Powers, Mr. Eden warmly noted  
that relations with France, as was  
natural with another democracy,  
had never been better. Our  
friendship was not exclusive on  
either side.  
As for Germany, there was a  
reciprocal desire for friendship,  
but conditional on our side by the  
considerations that friendship  
must neither be exclusive nor  
diverted against anyone else. Mr.  
Eden courteously but firmly ex-  
posed the illusions of General  
Goring and Dr. Goebbels. We had  
lent Germany as much as we had  
received in reparations. We had  
concluded a trade agreement most  
favourable to her. Therefore we  
were in no sense responsible for  
her difficulties, and she would do  
better to cooperate in efforts to  
improve international trade—for  
example, by joining the recent  
currency agreement between  
France, the United States, and  
ourselves. That, he hoped, showed  
that we had no idea of the economic  
or political encirclement of  
Germany.  
**THE MEDITERRANEAN**  
As for Italy, there had been  
estrangement because of our  
loyalty to the League, and still  
continuing differences about pro-  
per international conduct. An-  
swering Signor Mussolini's speech  
at Milan, Mr. Eden said Italy  
must not think the Mediterranean  
sea route was a mere convenience  
to us. It was vital to us—a main  
arterial road. We recognized,  
however, that it was also vital to  
Italy. The interests of the two  
countries there had been com-  
plementary. We hoped they would  
continue to be so, and we had no  
desire to threaten any Italian in-  
terest. As for the Far East, Mr.  
Eden noted that Sino-Japanese  
strains seemed to be easing.  
In general, he considered the  
international situation grave but  
not inevitably catastrophic, pro-  
vided we played our part and  
showed full strength of purpose  
and of arms. Of course there  
could be no enduring peace with-  
out an arms agreement, but mean-  
while all were rearming either  
steadily, vigorously, or feverishly.  
In favour of Germany. He has been  
in prison since, without being  
given a hearing. The German Em-  
bassy in Moscow is investigating  
these matters.  
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### NEW MASS ARRESTS IN SOVIET

Interesting Details

A Warsaw Nov. 24.  
Interesting details regarding the  
new mass arrests in the Soviet  
Union of political suspects by the  
GPU were revealed by Austrian  
Communists and other left ex-  
tremists, who passed through this  
city after being expelled from  
Russia.  
Several scores of persons were  
arrested, because of alleged sym-  
pathies with the Trotsky opposi-  
tion, and are arriving daily at  
Butyrki prison in Moscow, where  
political prisoners are detained.  
After a short detention there the  
prisoners are sent to compulsory  
camps for five years. The number  
of political prisoners who passed  
through Moscow jails in 1935 is  
approximately 80,000.  
The expelled Austrians declare  
that the recently arrested and  
imprisoned persons included army  
officers of the highest rank, such  
as Marshal Gamermik, who was  
some time ago, arrested together  
with 84 officers of the General  
Staff. The majority of the po-  
litical suspects are sent for deten-  
tion to the so-called "Bam" Camp  
near the Balkal-Amursk-Magis-  
trale railway line, where, it is as-  
serted, 800,000 to 900,000 political  
prisoners are held. A second  
large camp is situated near Taiga,  
west of the northern Ural on the  
River Petchural. At this camp it  
is said that 50,000 prisoners are  
held, in temperatures sometimes  
below 54 degrees centigrade.  
The expelled extremists state  
that there is now hardly a single  
family in the Soviet Union, with-  
out one member in a detention  
camp or prison.  
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### PRESENTATION TO KING OF IRAN

Teheran, Nov. 24.  
Reichsbank President Dr. Hjal-  
mer Schacht was received by the  
King of Iran, after having made  
a journey to the Province of Ma-  
sanderan in company of the Iran  
Finance Minister for this purpose.  
Dr. Schacht took the opportunity  
of greeting the King in the name  
of the German Chancellor, and  
handed him a photograph of the  
Chancellor in a silver frame with  
a personal dedication. The King  
expressed his thanks for the  
greetings and present, and con-  
ferred for a considerable time  
with Dr. Schacht.  
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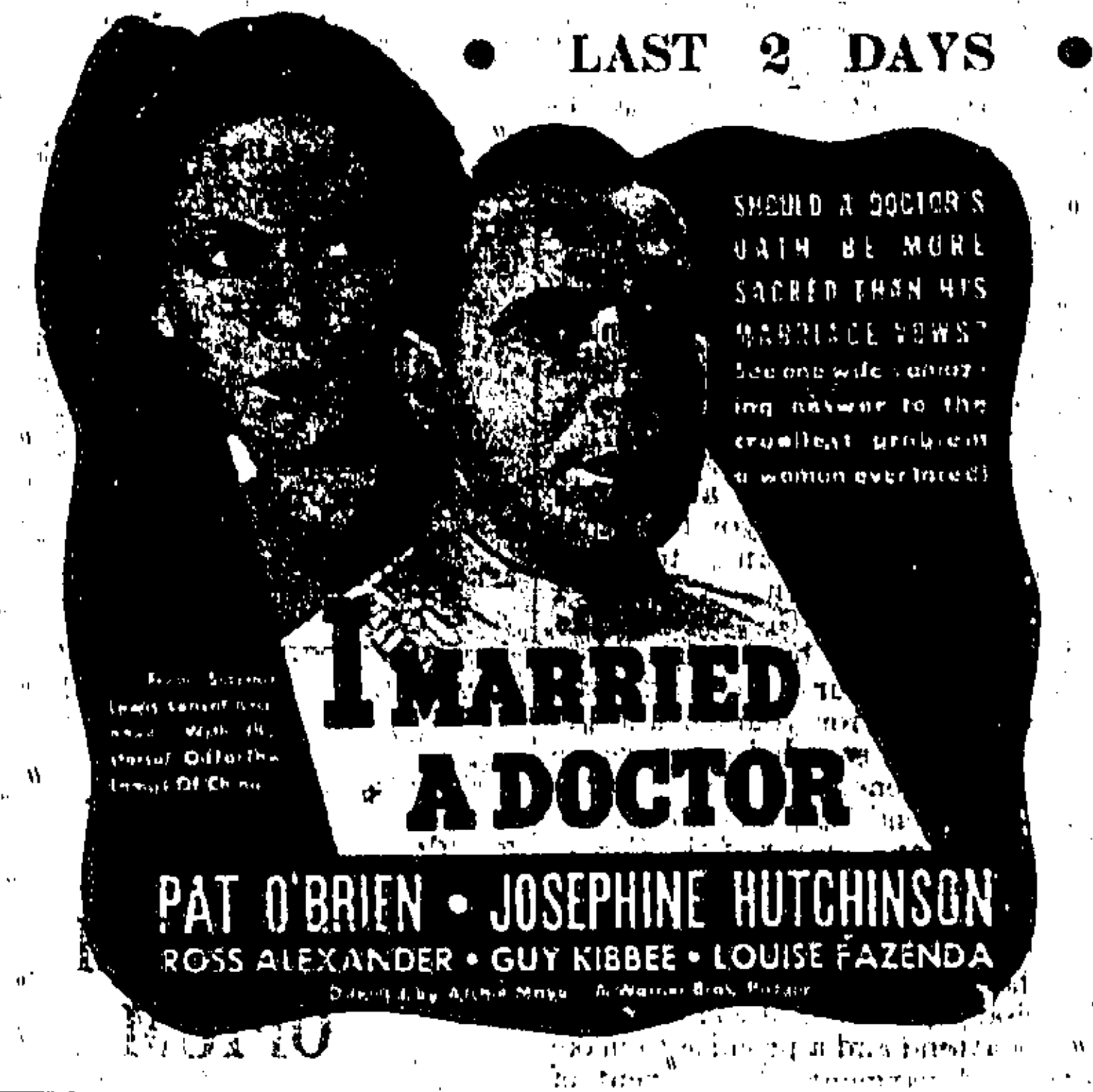
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## TO-DAY AT THE CINEMA

Hong Kong

**KING'S:**—"The Man Who Could Work Miracles"

**QUEEN'S:**—"I Married A Doctor"

**ORIENTAL:**—"I Dream Too Much"

Kowloon

**ALHAMBRA:**—"Two In Revolt"

**MAJESTIC:**—"The Ghost Goes West"

**STAR:**—"The Murder of Doctor Harrigan"

Coming

**KING'S:**—"The Last of The Mohicans"

**QUEEN'S:**—"The Big Broadcast of 1937"

**ALHAMBRA:**—"The Big Broadcast of 1937"

**STAR:**—"The King Steps Out"

## "I MARRIED A DOCTOR"

A stirring drama of small town bigotry and intolerance, the Warner Bros. production, "I Married a Doctor," showing at the Queen's Theatre, to-day.

The picture is based on a novel by Sinclair Lewis which caused a furor throughout the country by exposing the cruelties resultant from the attitude of self-righteous small town people who judge others by their own narrow standards. It is said to be filled with pathos and tragedy and dynamic scenes, enlivened by romance, sparkling dialogue and comedy.

Pat O'Brien and Josephine Hutchinson have the romantic leads, he being a country doctor who takes his city bred bride to his small home town where she immediately arouses a jealous and bitter antagonism among the women because their husbands and sweethearts are attracted by her beauty and wit.

Unwittingly she creates a scandal by taking under her patronage a country youth with artistic aspirations. Encouraging his ambitions, she does not realize that he has become desperately infatuated with her, until he begs her to run away with him. The tongues of gossip, long wailing, clack with venom when the youth, mad with disappointment, is killed in a wild automobile ride.

Believing everyone in town to be petty, mean, intolerant and cruel, she flees from her home and husband, returning to the city. But in a surprising climax she and her husband are reunited.

## "GHOST GOES WEST"

The hilarious adventures of a handsome and amorous ghost who accompanies a haunted Scottish castle to America, are depicted in amusing fashion in "The Ghost Goes West," Alexander Korda's gay romantic comedy which brings Robert Donat to the Majestic Theatre to-day with Jean Parker and Eugene Palette.

The star is cost as Donald Glouire, an impoverished Scotch nobleman who sells his haunted ancestral castle to an American millionaire, and also plays the jolly castle ghost.

The millionaire has the castle razed and transported to New York stone by stone and the ghost, being a very conscientious shade, packs up and trails along.

Complications develop when the ghost turns up aboard the transatlantic liner and is mistaken for Donald, whom he very closely resembles.

The film reaches a hilarious surprise climax when Martin, who has decided to use the ghost to publicize Martin's Fine Foods, holds a reception for the press in the ludicrously retored and modernized castle.

## ANNUAL SUPPER DANCE

The annual supper dance of the Hong Kong Ladies' Hockey Club will be held at the Peninsula Hotel on Friday, January 15, 1937, from 9 p.m. till 2 a.m.

Tickets may be obtained from the Dance Secretary—Miss M. Smalley, phone 39,149.

## PERRY'S CONTRACT

Five Tennis Pictures At £2,000 Each

F. J. Perry, three times Wimbledon tennis champion, whose decision to turn professional was announced recently informed me on November 13 that, in addition to the £20,000 he will obtain under his contract, he expects to earn a big additional income from films, states the Special Correspondent of the "Daily Telegraph."

He is about to sign a contract with Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer to make five short films on lawn tennis for £2,000 each. He hopes that this experiment may start him on a film career.

"In addition," he said, "I am proposing to co-operate in several ventures with Ellsworth Vines, who will be my chief playing partner in exhibition games. We are very close friends, and have played against each other six times. Vines winning four of the matches. I do not know yet whether I shall be matched against Tilden, but I will do what my backers arrange for me."

At the end of this week Perry, with his wife, Miss Helen Vinson, will move into their new home at Beverly Hills, California.

## BREAKDOWN OF FILM DEAL NEGOTIATIONS

### American Company's Decision

Swords have now been drawn in the battle between English and American companies for the control of Gaumont-British, the huge film company with headquarters at Shepherd's Bush, states the "London Morning Post."

Mr. John Maxwell, Chairman and Managing Director of Associated British Picture Corporation, Ltd., acquired 250,000 "B" shares in the Metropolis and Bradford Trust, which controls Gaumont-British, from the Ostrer Brothers, thus completing the first half of a deal involving assets of £24,000,000. Over the second half of the deal, concerning the acquisition of 5,100 "A" shares, also held by the Ostrers, negotiations broke down recently.

Mr. Maxwell wants to buy these "A" shares in order to gain full control of Gaumont-British. He cannot do so without the consent of Twentieth Century Fox, an American film company, who also have large interests in the Metropolis and Bradford Trust. Until lately negotiations were taking place between Mr. Maxwell and Mr. Sidney Fox. It is reported that Mr. Kent offered to sell half of the American shares for £2,000,000. Apparently it is over this figure that negotiations have broken down.

"TO PROTECT OUR POSITION"

The following statement was issued by Mr. Kent:

"After lengthy telephone conversations with our Board of Directors in New York and with Mr. Joseph Schenck, my associate, in Hollywood, I have been advised to terminate all negotiations for the sale of our interests in the Metropolis and Bradford Trust to Mr. John Maxwell or the Associated British Picture Corporation.

"Upon finishing my work here I shall return to New York."

"We do not consider the present atmosphere conducive or proper to well-thought-out negotiations, while the outlook for the future is not clear enough to indicate what our attitude during a period of time will be.

"Our decision to terminate negotiations is the result of strict business considerations."

PRICE NOT ACCEPTABLE

Mr. John Maxwell stated:

"We have been negotiating with Mr. S. R. Kent for some days for the acquisition of the Fox holdings in the Metropolis and Bradford Trust. This is not a necessary part of our arrangements, but we regarded it as desirable if it could be achieved at a reasonable price.

"We came to the conclusion that the price and other conditions asked for were more than we could reasonably agree to, and the discussion for the acquisition of the Fox interests have terminated for the time being."

The agreement with Messrs. Ostrer for the acquisition of the controlling interest in Metropolis and Bradford Trust remains in full force in accordance with previous announcements, and we are advised, can be carried through completely without the acquisition of any other interests."

## DIARY OF LOCAL EVENTS

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 26.

Anniversaries and Holidays.—Thanksgiving Day, (U.S.A.), Queen of Norway born, 1869.

Auctions.—Ponies, Saddles, Stable equipments, etc., Wooden Bungalow, Stables and Clipping Machine, at St. George's Riding School, Ma-Tau-Wai Road, Kowloon, 5.15 p.m.

Cinemas:

King's:—"The Man Who Could Work Miracles."

Queen's:—"I Married A Doctor."

Oriental:—"I Dream Too Much."

World:—"Chinese Picture."

Alhambra:—"Two In Revolt."

Majestic:—"The Ghost Goes West."

Star:—"The Murder Of Doctor Harrigan."

Lectures.—Theosophical Society, 6.00 p.m.

Meetings.—Half-Yearly, of Voting Members, of H.K. Jockey Club, Happy Valley, 5.30 p.m.; H.K. Philatelic Society, at South China Morning Post Room, 5.30 p.m.; St. John's Cathedral Finance Committee, Cathedral Office, 5.15 p.m.

Miscellaneous.—Saint Mary's School Prize Distribution, Kowloon, 5.30 p.m.; St. Andrew's Women's Fellowship, 3.00 p.m.

Religious.—Requiem Service in Memory of the late Fr. Finn, S.J., at Catholic Cathedral, 9.00 a.m.

Social.—"Busy Bees" Bridge and Mah Jong Drive, at Cathedral Hall, 3.00 p.m.; Whist Drive in the Matched Church Recreation Room, 7.30 p.m.; Civil Service Cricket Club Whist Drive, 9.00 p.m.; Chess Club Bridge and Mah Jong Drive, 8.00 p.m.; Y.M.C.A. Ladies' Night Dinner, 7.30 p.m.; Concert at 9.00 p.m.

Sports:

Racing.—Entries close for the Hong Kong Jockey Club's Twelfth Extra Race Meeting, Noon.

Snooker.—Steel Coulson Snooker League: P.O. Mess v. Royal Welch Fusiliers; Civil Service Cricket Club v. C.U.C.; Royal Artillery Mess v. Signals; D.R.C. v. R.E. Mess.

Moon.—X Moon, 13th Day.

Sunrise.—6.43 a.m. Sunset.—5.38 p.m.

Tides.—High at 7.15 and 19.05; Low at 1.22 and 12.42.

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 27.

Anniversaries and Holidays.—St. Margaret of Savoy.

Cinemas:

King's:—"The Man Who Could Work Miracles."

Queen's:—"I Married A Doctor."

Oriental:—"I Dream Too Much."

World:—"Chinese Picture."

Alhambra:—"Two In Revolt."

Majestic:—"The Ghost Goes West."

Star:—"The King Steps Out."

Dances.—St. Andrew's Ball, Peninsula Hotel, 9.00 p.m.

Lectures.—Christian Fellowship Meeting at Helena May, 10.30 a.m.

Meetings.—Hong Kong Teachers' Association, at Ricci Hall, 5.15 p.m.; Speaker: Very Rev. Father G. Byrne.

Miscellaneous.—K'loon Union Church Jubilee Sale, 3.00 p.m.

Sports:

Badminton.—Mixed Doubles, Kowloon Tong v. Recreation "B"; Free Lancers v. Recreation "A."

Billiards.—McEwan-Younger League: Garrison Sergeants v. R.N.Y.P.; Royal Artillery (L) v. Royal Welch Fusiliers; R.A.M.C. v. Royal Ulster Rifles; Hong Kong S. Bde. v. R.A.H.Q.

Hockey.—1/8th Punjab Regiment v. Navy "A" (Marines), 4.00 p.m.

Moon.—X Moon, 14th Day.

Sunrise.—6.42 a.m. Sunset.—5.38 p.m.

Tides.—High at 5.56 and 18.24; Low at 0.23 and 12.00.

## BARCELONA HARBOUR

### Proposed Blockade

Paris, Nov. 24.

In the matter of the proposed blockade of the harbour of Barcelona, the French Government announces that it has adopted the same standpoint as the British Government. The French Government declares that it is unable to acknowledge and recognise the blockade, because: it has not recognized the Franco Government as a belligerent power. According to informed circles it is further more stated that a blockade need only be recognized by neutral powers if it can really be enforced.

The National Government of Burgos, it is asserted, does not command enough naval power to make the blockade effective. The only point, where the French outlook materially differs from the British, is that French warships have not the right to search French merchant ships to certain whether they have war material for either party on board—the French law does not permit such interference with the freedom of trade.

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force in accordance with previous announcements, and we are advised, can be carried through completely without the acquisition of any other interests."

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## "TWO IN REVOLT"

The feats which a police dog and a horse perform in "Two in Revolt" make one of the most amazing animal films since the coming of the talkies.

Showing at the Alhambra Theatre to-day, "Two in Revolt" features Lightning and Warrior, the canine and equine leads and a top-notch human cast in an almost unbelievable series of adventures which build up to a vividly dramatic story.

The dog's battle with a wolf pack, his rescue of the horse, the horse's fight against his kidnappers, and the thrilling race-track finale, are some of the thrilling high-lights.

Due to this uncanny ability on the part of the four-footed players, "Two in Revolt" is a notably realistic drama of animal friendship, panoramic in its sweep yet never losing interest in the human romance that supplies the gliding thread of the story. John Arledge and Louise Latimer make a brilliant romantic team, and both give splendid portrayals. Arledge as a young horse trainer and Miss Latimer as Moroni Olsen, her father who objects to the match because of Arledge's lower social station. Arledge defers to Olsen's veto, but Warrior and Lightning, by their respective night and kidnapping from the ranch unwittingly reconcile the pair on the open mesa where there are no parents to mar their romance.

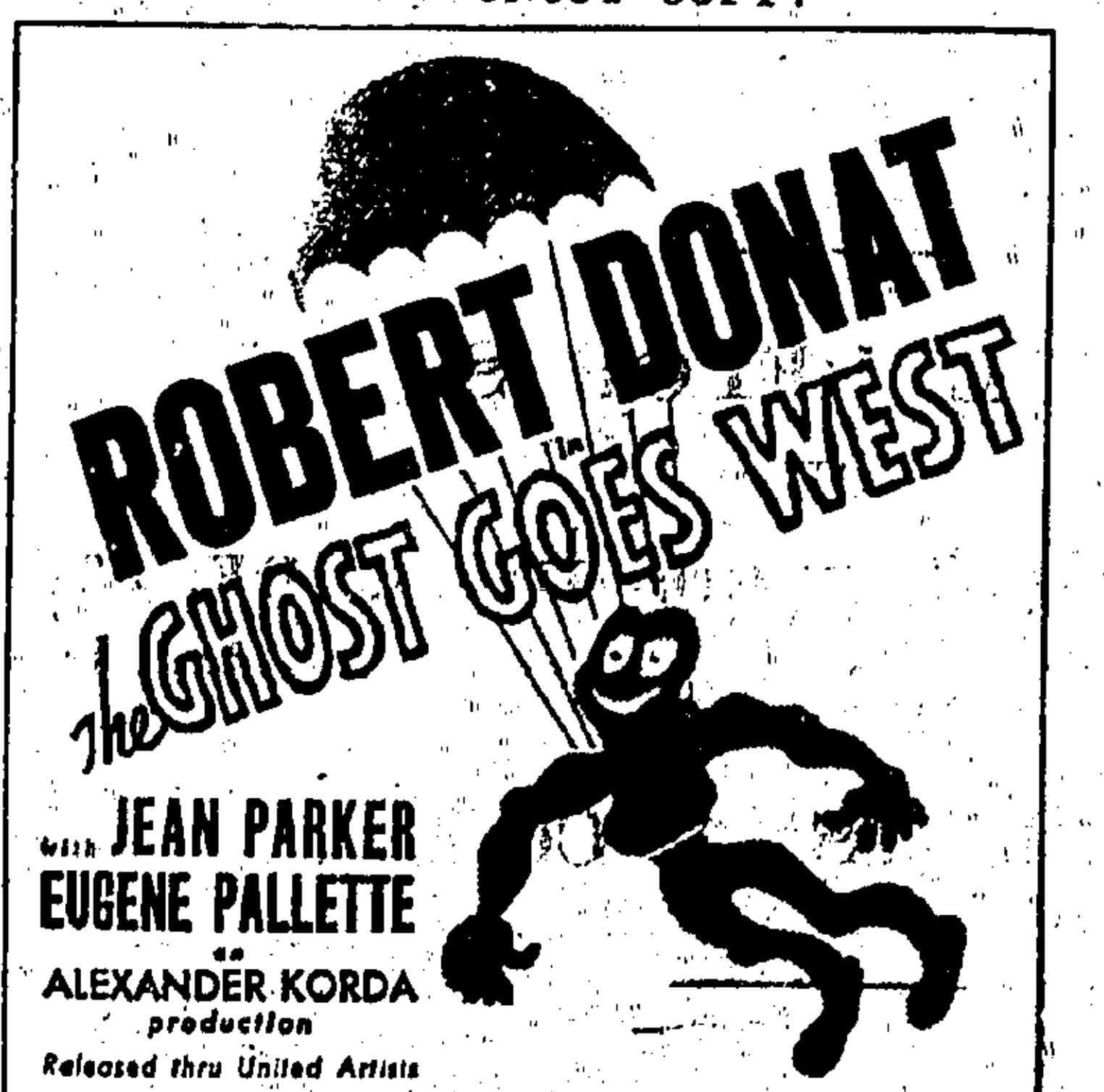
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The annual general meeting of the Wah Yan Past Students' Association to be followed by a re-union dinner, free to all members, will take place on Saturday, November 28, 1936, at 8 p.m. Catering has been offered to the management of the Hotel Cecil. Members wishing to take part are requested to notify the Hon. Secretary not later than to-morrow, 27th inst.

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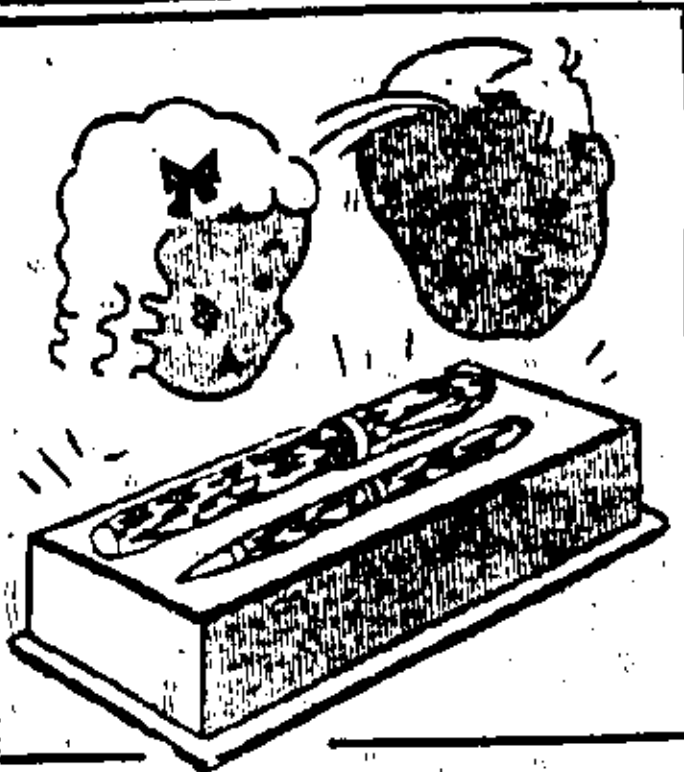
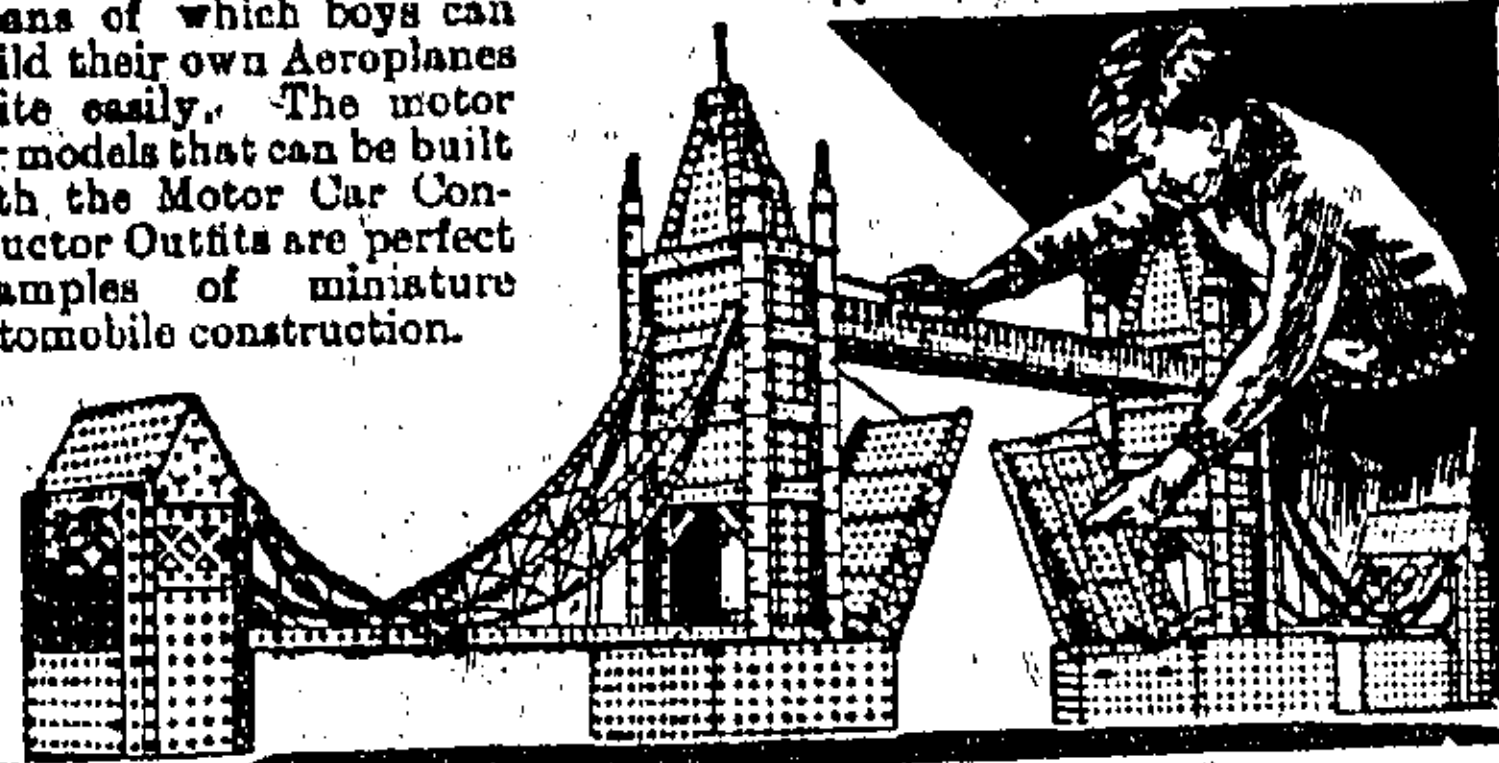
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## "MORE OF A FOOL THAN KNAVE"

### Indian Constable Guilty Of Bribery

#### CRIMINAL SESSIONS TRIAL

The third day of the Criminal Sessions began with the trial of Harehand Singh, Indian constable attached to the Guards Office at No. 2 Police Station, on the charge of offering a bribe to Sgt. C. H. Gough on September 15, before Sir Atholl MacGregor, the Chief Justice.

Mr. E. H. Williams, Assistant Attorney General, prosecuted for the Crown. Mr. K. W. Bidehead, A.S.P., attended the hearing. The jury was composed of Messrs. W. H. Alexander, (foreman), G. A. Burn, E. A. Noronha, G. S. Ladd, G. Schmidt, A. M. Remedios and Pang Yuck Wing.

#### CASE OUTLINED

In outlining the case Mr. Williams said that defendant had served for eight years in the police force, and was accused of offering a bribe to Sgt. Gough who was attached to the Guards Office.

It was among Sgt. Gough's duties to place Indian guards on ships and shore duty and to assist sub-insp. H. G. Baker in filling the vacancies. Sgt. Gough could make recommendations to his superior in the various posts.

On August 25, Sgt. Gough was called on by the defendant, whom he never recollected having seen before. After a few perfunctory remarks about sports, defendant pulled out a bottle of Johnny Walker "Red Label" whiskey and offered it to the Sergeant. The latter replied that he did not like it, and defendant suggested some beer. When he was informed that Sgt. Gough did not drink liquor, he replied that he would bring another kind of present later.

#### ULTERIOR MOTIVE

By this time, Sgt. Gough knew that there was some ulterior motive behind the presents, and asked defendant, "What do you want?"

The answer was that defendant wished a relative and another guard to be transferred on board a ship. They were understood to be Sgt. 261 and G. 500.

To this request Sgt. Gough said that Insp. Baker was responsible for the transfers to ships, and he had enough money of his own. He then told defendant that some time would be required to think the matter over, as it was very serious.

The next day Insp. Baker was apprised of the affair, and from then on Sgt. Gough was acting under instructions.

On September 10, defendant again called and asked Sgt. Gough, "Have you arranged for the transfer?" The reply was in the negative, and they went into a conversation of the identities of the two guards. It appeared that 261 was not the one that defendant meant, but that it was 201.

Defendant's proposition was that the two guards should be transferred, with two others, to the S. S. Haitan a consideration of \$500, or, as an alternative, for the transfer of only the former guards to the S. S. On Lee.

It was mentioned that the Haitan was the better ship as she usually carried a large amount of opium.

A sum of \$200 was mentioned in the latter alternative, but Sgt. Gough raised it to \$250, and informed defendant that it was a dangerous undertaking to which the other replied, "I will promise that there will be no trouble with the men."

On Sgt. Gough's insistence that the agreement be made in writing, defendant agreed.

#### TRANSACTION WATCHED

Insp. Baker, and Sgts. Gough and Farquhar were at the room of Sgt. Gough when defendant returned on September 15. Before Sgt. Gough went to the door to meet defendant the other two men secreted themselves on the verandah but in such a position that they would be able to watch what was going on in the room.

As defendant had not brought the written agreement, Sgt. Gough wrote one and it was translated into Indian and signed by defendant, after which the sum of \$220 was handed over for the ostensible transfer of the two guards to the On Lee.

Insp. Baker and Sgt. Farquhar walked in at this juncture while the defendant, in startled wonder, pleaded on his knees saying, "Give me a chance. I have been eight years in the service and I am a poor man!"

He was taken to the police station and charged to which he replied, "I did not give any bribe

to Sgt. Gough, but he asked me for a loan, and I lent it to him!"

#### DEFENDANT'S VERSION

Following evidence by the prosecution, defendant said that he had known Sgt. Gough for a year, and that they met in front of the Star Ferry on August 24 about 7 p.m.

After a short conversation, defendant was invited to visit Sgt. Gough, and he did so the following day.

While there, he was told that two Indian guards, 201 and 500 had made a promise to Sgt. Gough, and that the defendant's aid was enlisted to consummate that promise.

Accordingly on September 13, he procured that which was promised to Sgt. Gough, and brought it to the Guards Office.

He was asked to write a translation of the English document as the other two guards could not understand English, and he did so and signed his name.

He concluded that he would not have asked the Sergeant for the transfers as he knew very well that they could not have been granted him.

#### ACCUSED CROSS-EXAMINED

Mr. Williams: Did you tell anyone else the story that you have just told in the witness box?—No, I reserved my statement.

You had a solicitor at the Magistrate's?—Yes.

And yet no questions were asked by your solicitor about the meeting on August 24?—No, I didn't instruct him.

Why did you keep your defence till now and not mention it to Insp. Baker then?—Because he told me to keep quiet.

At the Magistrate's, the Sergeant stated that you offered whiskey, beer and then money?—Yes.

There was no cross-examination then?—No.

Was the agreement written before you arrived or in your presence?—In my presence.

You signed it?—Yes, just because it is my custom to sign all interpretations.

But the agreement began with "I promise?"—That has a different meaning. It meant that Sgt. Gough promised as it was in English.

I put it to you, that your story in the box is all lies—It's all true. Why should I offer \$220 to Sgt. Gough when I didn't even know the guards?

#### SUMMING UP

The Chief Justice admonished the jury that if they believed the defendant's story then the officers of the police had banded themselves together to commit perjury.

The jury returned a verdict of "Guilty" without retiring, and his Lordship deferred sentence until the records of defendant could be perused.

At the resumption of the afternoon's hearing, Mr. Williams informed his Lordship that the defendant's record in the Force was good. He had joined in June, 1929, and was promoted to interpreter in 1931.

#### GOOD POLICE RECORD

The Chief Justice: You should be reasonably proud of your record in the Force, and although this is a charge of misdemeanour I shall give you a chance to say anything you can to justify your behaviour.

Defendant: I did not do it for my own benefit, but at Sgt. Gough's request.

His Lordship: Then you were more of a fool than a knave—Of course. I didn't expect this charge to be brought against me.

His Lordship: I am going to take your very good record into full account, and will equally, of course, take the fact that your defence, which was a tissue of lies involved the jury's thinking that the police officers in honour and standing had only been false and that they had deliberately committed perjury.

#### FREPOSTEROUS STORY

If you had made a clean breast and expressed contrition you would have been saved from severe punishment. Instead of that you told a preposterous story with infamous charges against your superior

## HEROIN PILLS CASE

### Man Discharged At Sessions

#### INSUFFICIENT EVIDENCE

At yesterday afternoon's hearing at the Criminal Sessions, Lau Chun appeared before the Chief Justice, Sir Atholl MacGregor, for the possession of 15,000 heroin pills. He was found not guilty by the jury which was composed of Messrs. I. S. Hardoon (foreman), Wong Yui Sung, Lam Woo Ki, C. M. de Souza, Ah Mann, F. M. Xavier and Chan Yut U., and discharged.

Mr. M. J. Abbott, Assistant Crown Solicitor, appearing for the prosecution, said that on October 6 at 8.30 a.m. R. O. A. W. Grimmer and Mr. H. A. Taylor raided 40, Queens Road, West and the door was immediately opened by defendant at the first knock. The door could be opened and shut on the outside by a very simple device.

The house was divided into two cubicles and one passage way.

Defendant replied to Mr. Grimmer that he was the principal tenant of the premises, but he had no receipt for the rent, which he said was \$28.

In the cubicle were found the pills wrapped up ready for transportation.

Charged at the police station, defendant replied, "My master went to Canton, and he told me to take charge of the place for which he gave me \$5."

R. O. Grimmer said that, when he examined defendant's hands they were not stained the colour of the pink pills. It meant that he had not touched any of the pink pills for at least twenty-four hours.

Mr. H. A. Taylor, Government Analyst, deposed that he examined the boxes and found heroin. There were 18 packages of 8950 pills, and 11 packages of 6490 pills in one box, and the other contained 580, which totalled 15,000 pills of heroin.

Without any deliberation, the jury returned a verdict of "Not guilty."

His Lordship gave a word of advice to defendant before he was discharged. He was told to be more careful in the choice of his friends in future.

## POTATOES TAKE A WALK!

Tsang Yau, 34, a stall fook of No. 169 Reclamation Street, was brought before Mr. E. I. Wynne-Jones at the Kowloon Magistrate's yesterday, for larceny on November 24, of a quantity of potatoes.

It was alleged that a constable saw the defendant carrying a sack in Shik-long Street, and when questioned accused admitted theft. Sentence of three weeks' imprisonment was imposed.

officers while they were only doing their duty.

Because you did that I am going to punish you.

Defendant was sentenced to nine months' imprisonment with hard labour, and a fine of \$500 was imposed with the option of three months in gaol with hard labour.

## INTERPRETER VINDICATED

### No Penalty Imposed

Before the Sessions began yesterday morning, the Chief Justice, Sir Atholl MacGregor, called Wan Wai In, an interpreter attached to the Central Police Station, before him.

Wai had been over ten minutes late on the first day of the Criminal Sessions, and he gave as his explanation that he had been instructed to remain at the police station until his relief arrived.

His Lordship said:—Two days ago you gave me your explanation for your late attendance in Court here and I told you then that I would seek an opportunity to verify the facts you had given me as far as I can.

The Inspector-General of the Force to which you belong has taken steps to check your statement, and I am glad to say, for yourself and the Force, that I am satisfied you gave me a perfectly honest explanation for your late attendance, and no fault is attached to any member of the Force.

I hope you now appreciate that your undertaking to attend this Court is not a matter of unimportance. I am sure that in future when you sign a recognisance, which is of course a promise to attend and a promise to make substantial payment in the event of non-attendance, you will appreciate that it is a grave matter, and your first duty is to attend a sitting of this Court when you are required to do so.

You have given me an honest and frank statement and though I think I am justified in saying that your conduct in sticking to your post was perhaps a little foolish on your part, it is an attitude for which I can find a little sympathy, and for which I am not going to impose any penalty. You may go.

## WOLFRAM ORE THEFTS

### Unemployed Gets Desserts

Sze To Ping, alias Sze To Nam, 37, unemployed of No. 9 Winslow Street, ground floor, was brought before Mr. E. I. Wynne-Jones at the Kowloon Magistrate's yesterday for larceny of 840 catties of wolfram ore on November 17 from Nos. 172, 174 and 178 Hai Tam Street the property of the complainant, Wong Yuk Hang, 33, master of the Yau Yu godown.

Defendant admitted theft.

Detective Sergeant Franklin said that the defendant was arrested on information. The total value of the wolfram was \$680. "I think all of it was recovered" said the prosecuting officer.

Three months' imprisonment was imposed on the accused, who had three previous convictions.

## CLOSING DAY

The Annual "Closing Day" and distribution of prizes of the Kowloon Bowling Green Club, will take place on Saturday next commencing at 2.30 p.m.

## MAN AND LITTLE GIRL

### Carnal Knowledge Alleged

Wong Chi, alias Wong Fu, age 28, unemployed of No. 154 Temple Street, ground floor, was brought before Mr. E. I. Wynne-Jones at the Kowloon Magistrate's yesterday, charged with having carnal knowledge of a girl under 16 years of age, named Ng Kwan Ying, aged 15, and harbouring her without her father's consent.

Inspector S. A. Ellis of the S.C.A. asked His Worship whether the case could be remanded till Monday afternoon for there was medical evidence to be heard, in addition to the girl and two other witnesses.

The case was accordingly remanded.

## PREPARED OPIUM

### Raid Discloses Divan

Cheung Hang, 35, unemployed, was charged before Mr. K. Keen at the Central Magistrate's yesterday morning on three charges, relating to possession of non-Government prepared opium, at No. 78 Stanley Street, ground floor, possession of raw opium and for keeping an opium divan at the above address.

R. O. Ward prosecuted and said that the divan was quite a large house. He found five opium pipes, a similar quantity of opium lamps and three heroin pipes.

The defendant was fined \$450 with alternative of 6 months' imprisonment.

## SUMMONS WITHDRAWN

A summons brought by Mrs. M. G. Silva, of Homantin, against her husband for maintenance was withdrawn before Mr. E. H. Himsforth at the Kowloon Magistrate's yesterday. The parties had come to an agreement. Mr. M. A. da Silva represented Mrs. Silva.

## COLONY'S HEALTH

One case of typhoid from Victoria was notified by the Health authorities for the 24 hours ended November 24.

An educational authority fears that small savings bank boxes in the home teach children to become misers. Further observation tends to suggest that they teach parents also to become bank robbers.

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## PROFESSOR EVANS' TALK

"Bernard Shaw's Black Shirt And Red Tie"

### ENGLAND'S LITERARIES

Professor R. Ifor Evans' talk on "English Life revealed by English Literature" which was delivered in the Great Hall of the Hong Kong University yesterday, proved to be one of those rare treats which the Hong Kong public was privileged to hear. The speaker's masterful choice of words and cleverly injected humour recomposed the audience for his inadvertent tendency to drift away from the main theme of his talk.

The lecture was very well supported by the public which filled the Great Hall of the University and gave a warm welcome to the speaker who was introduced by Professor R. K. M. Simpson.

### ENGLAND'S CHANGE

Professor Evans stated that many agreed that it was some 130 or 140 years ago when England became an industrial country of the world, since when she has passed through several periods of transition. This change has also come upon her literary mind.

After briefly describing the attitude towards things in general which the people of the nineteenth century adopted, the speaker pointed out that Samuel Butler was the first to come to distrust machine. It was he who suggested that Man would one day become its slave. The machine was likened to a baby, because it had to be kept at a certain temperature, fed with the right food and had to be kept clean. The machine made a demand on the world to market its products. It was during this nineteenth century period that there was a sense that the world would develop in the right way for the benefit of the people.

### ANALYSING THEMSELVES

At the end of the century Great Britain became involved in the South African war and entered it because she thought, like all nations do when they go to war, she was in the right. When the fight ended she wondered whether it was worth it. After a period of ten or fifteen years the English got down to a more intellectual analysis of themselves to a reconsideration of their national and international policies.

The speaker then referred to the criticisms expressed by various writers of the world and mentioned Galsworthy, Wells and Shaw.

### SHAW THE ABUSIVE

"Bernard Shaw came from Dublin a poor man and became rich by abusing us," Professor Evans said, "and the more abusive he got, the richer he became."

Bernard Shaw, the speaker continued, was imbued with an image of himself as a sort of Voltaire and possessed a certain sense of mysticism. He was troubled by two conceptions of Communism and solved the problem by wearing a black shirt and a red tie. However, his beard often obscured his red tie.

### END OF CIVILIZATION

After referring to other literary minds in the course of his lecture, such as D. H. Lawrence, T. S. Eliott, James Joyce and others, the speaker pointed out that not a few modern writers believed that war would not mean the destruction of the individual but rather that of civilization.

A passing remark was made by Professor Evans in regard to Fleet Street in which he said, "There is no reason why a street of newspapers should be beautiful."

In conclusion, the speaker said he would gladly answer questions of the past and the present.

### ASK WELLS

"If you want to know about the future, ask Wells," he ended. The speaker was thanked by Professor Simpson who also called for a vote of appreciation which was seconded by Sir William Hornell.

## CHINA LIGHTS

Dividend Of 50 Cts. Per Share

It is announced that the Directors of the China Light & Power Co. have decided to recommend to shareholders at the forthcoming annual meeting that the profits for the past financial year, after providing \$448,000 for depreciation, amounting (subject to audit) to approximately \$885,000, plus \$123,000 brought forward from last year, be dealt with as follows:—

To pay a Dividend of 50 cents per share on the "Old" Shares and proportionate amounts on the 1935-Issue Shares, amounting about \$54,000

To transfer to Reserve for General Managers' Rights 70,000

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\$1,007,000

The dividend will be payable on 31st December, 1936.

The Directors have also decided to call up the balance of \$2.50 per share on the 1935-Issue Shares and to make such call payable early in January, 1937.

## GUIDING IN HONG KONG

Hospital Work Appreciated

### ANNUAL MEETING

A highly satisfactory report of the Social Service side of Guiding in the Colony and other activities were presented before its members at the Annual Meeting of the Girl Guides Association of Hong Kong, which was held in the Sandilands Hut yesterday morning.

### PRESIDENT WELCOMED

The meeting was well attended and was presided by Lady Macgregor, President, who, in opening the meeting, welcomed Lady Caldecott, the Girl Guides' new Patroness. The minutes of the last annual meeting were read and were signed by the President.

Before asking the members to adopt the Report and Annual Accounts, Mrs. T. H. King, Colony Commissioner, expressed appreciation to Lady Macgregor for becoming President of the Association. Thanks were also expressed to those guides and other members who gave their very valuable help to the movement.

### LOSS SUSTAINED

Mrs. King stated that the Girl Guides sustained an overwhelming loss in the departures from the Colony of Lady Southern and Mrs. Grist, both of whom did valuable work for the Girl Guide movement in Hong Kong.

After Mrs. King spoke briefly on the report Mrs. J. D. Danby, Colony Treasurer, dealt with various items in the annual accounts. The latter pointed out that the accounts were in a satisfactory state and expenditure was only mainly carried out in redecorating Sandilands Hut.

On the proposal of Mrs. R. M. Henderson, Mrs. C. G. Alabaster seconded the adoption of the report and the annual accounts.

### SOCIAL ACTIVITIES

A short talk on the Social activities of the Girl Guides at the Tung Wah Hospital was given by Dr. Nash who stated that the weekly visits of the Guides had made a lot of difference to the children in the hospital. She appealed to members of the Association to continue this good work carried out by the Girl Guides.

Particular reference was made by the speaker to the guides of the 5th Hong Kong Company, captained by Mrs. G. A. C. Herklotz, who have been paying regular visits to the hospital, especially throughout the summer.

### PATIENTS' INTEREST

Dr. Nash pointed out that the children in hospitals used to have nothing to do but since the visits of the Girl Guides the patients are taking very keen interest in doing various kinds of work, such as knitting, quilt-making, and other handicrafts.

In conclusion, Dr. Nash stated that she hoped the Girl Guides will extend their visits to the Tung Wah Eastern Hospital where there are also several children.

"For what you have done we are very grateful," Dr. Nash said.

### THOSE PRESENT

Among those present were:—Lady Caldecott (Patroness) Lady Macgregor (President), Mrs. T. H. King (Colony Commissioner), Mrs. G. A. C. Herklotz (District Commissioner), Mrs. A. R. H. Phillips (Colony Secretary), Mrs. J. D. Danby (Colony Treasurer), Mrs. J. H. R. Hance (Badge Secretary), Mrs. M. E. Burslem (Hut Secretary), Miss H. D. Sawyer, Mrs. C. G. Alabaster, Mrs. L. Dunbar, Mrs. J. Fleming, Mrs. R. M. Henderson, Mrs. Midzusawa.

## ENGLISH ASSOCIATION

The Hong Kong Branch of the English Association will hold its second Meeting of the Session 1936-7, next Tuesday at 5.30 p.m. in the Helena May Institute. The Hon. Dr. R. H. Kotewall has promised to take the Chair, and the Revd. Fr. Sheridan, S. J., will speak on: "The Adventure of Chesterton."

## FORTHCOMING WEDDING

The forthcoming wedding has been announced of Mr. Leslie George Stephens, a police officer attached to the Naval Dockyard, and Miss Wilfred Moysa George, of No. 1, Minden Avenue, Kowloon.

## DANCE

A subscription dance will be held at the Kowloon Cricket Club on Saturday, December 5, at 9.15 p.m. The music will be supplied by Mickey's Melody Makers Band.

## HELENA MAY

Healthy State Of Finances

At the annual general meeting of the Helena May Institute held yesterday morning, the President, Mrs. A. Murdoch, told the members that they had a profit of \$1,430.50 in the year's work.

Working Account.—The profit was the more pleasing because they had suffered a loss of \$2,753.93 last year, and the President thought that their various economies, and the increased number of visitors probably caused this gain for the year.

However, she added, they had in no way reduced their comfort nor their efficiency.

In giving the Hon. Treasurer's Report, Mrs. R. K. M. Simpson, said: "A copy of the balance sheet having been sent to each member of the Institute I will take this at read: Working for the year shows a profit of \$1,430.50 against a loss last year of \$2,753.93. This is chiefly accounted for by the rise in receipts for travelling and the decrease in repairs charged to working account. Subscriptions have again fallen slightly."

"The Profit and Loss Account shows a net profit of \$1,903.18 against a loss last year of \$2,745.37. Our income from investments amounted to \$3,724.68. This once more shows a decrease."

The adoption of the annual report and the balance sheet was proposed by Mrs. M. H. Roffey, seconded by Mrs. J. Durran, and carried.

Mrs. E. Cock, on behalf of members, tendered a vote of thanks to the Officers of the Council, especially the President and Vice-President who have done great work for the Helena May.

Following the meeting, an auction of magazines was conducted by Mrs. J. W. Anderson.

Among those present at the meeting were Mrs. A. Murdoch (President); Mrs. H. G. Sed-Smith (Vice-President); Mrs. D. L. Strellett (Hon. Secretary); Mrs. R. K. M. Simpson (Hon. Treasurer); Mesdames J. W. Anderson, E. Cock, J. Durran, A. V. Greaves, E. W. Kirk, M. H. Roffey, H. Sommers, Gaudy, Hawkins, Kelvin, Stark, Wolf, Dunlop, Gubbay, Griffith, D. A. Murdoch and Miss Jennell, Secretary of the Helena May Institute.

## MOTOR AIR TRANSPORT

Aerial Transport Blessings

### BY HAROLD GUARD

(United Press Staff Correspondent in the "Manila Bulletin.")

Hong Kong, (Air Mail).—THIS British Colony will be better able to appreciate the many blessings which aerial transport has brought in its wake if an experiment when it is being carried out, quietly and unknown to the general public, by the local Botanical and Forestry Department, proves a success.

Two parasites from Hawaii, which it is hoped will eventually wipe out a rapidly spreading local weed, have recently been introduced here, and important results making botanical and entomological history are expected.

There is a plant literally running wild here, called by scientists Lantana Camara, which has been long viewed with intense dislike.

It is a shrub with a somewhat thorny stem, coarse serrated leaves, and composite flowers measuring nearly an inch across, which range through various colors from orange to a pretty yellow.

### NATIVE OF S. AMERICA

Lantana was originally a native of South America and it was apparently introduced to Hong Kong as an ornamental plant. Now, in parts of Hong Kong and the New Territories it has spread so rapidly that it has become a menace to local vegetation and naturalists have drawn attention to the need for remedial measures.

For some years efforts have been made to eradicate this insidious invader by employing armies of coolies to uproot the weed, but the effort proved unavailing and in recent months the measure has become a dead letter.

The Botanical and Forestry Department, however, has not been idle and following intensive research work and extensive enquiries in various parts of the globe, new hope has sprung afresh in the hearts of nature lovers.

With the aid of the Clipper mails it has been possible for the Entomology Department at Hawaii to send to Hong Kong two species of insects which are a pest of the Lantana plant.

One insect, a small plume moth operates as a check on the plant by laying its eggs on the bud, covering the entire bud with film of web which prevents development.

The other, a fly, selects the fully formed berries of the plant and in each of these lays an egg, the lar-

## "SAFETY FIRST" CAMPAIGN

Instructive Talk By Mr. Hodgson

### CAUTIOUS DRIVING NECESSARY

Another instructive talk in connection with the "Safety First" campaign, was given by Mr. F. M. Hodgson from the ZBW studio last night. This talk follows that given by the Hon. Mr. T. H. King, Inspector General of Police and the Hon. Mr. R. H. Kotewall.

The speaker reminded listeners that more cautious driving was necessary.

What is this campaign of safety first all about? Well, it is a campaign launched in this Colony by the Police in co-operation with the Hong Kong Automobile Association in an endeavour to lessen the accidents and damage by motor traffic.

### VITAL CAMPAIGN

The campaign is vital to you, to me and to everyone, and no driver of a motor car ought to slip in the clutch and drive away without first having indelibly imprinted on his mind these words "Safety First" and act accordingly. One cannot dismiss the terrible toll of human lives lost yearly through the careless and sometimes reckless action of unthinking drivers as a mere incident in modern traffic and that which cannot be avoided. It can be avoided and must be.

You may have witnessed a bad accident—the single horrible accident is no isolated horror, it happens daily. One really needs to see a bad accident or a motion picture of one accompanied by sound, the hopeless effort of the injured to get up, the grunting unpleasant noises and the pattering groaning of a human being dragged with shock, if he is not already dead, the insane crumpled effect of a child's body crushed out of human shape—these are standards of everyday accidents in modern position of going places in a hurry. Speed and more speed and what for? Just thoughtlessness, but with terrible results!

### THE PEDESTRIAN

Now, I can imagine you may say what about the pedestrian who is often the cause of an accident. True he is. The pedestrian may be careless, absent-minded, often stupid, but for this very reason anyone in possession of a potential dangerous weapon is called upon to be on his guard against these frailties of human nature. This particularly applies to this Colony where the roads and streets are often crowded with slow thinking country folk who are not used to motor traffic—who are in the habit of walking anywhere in the middle of the road, oblivious of any on-comers, last moving and heavy vehicles. Are we justified in assuming the right to ignore these pedestrians and by loud tooting of the horn expect them to clear the way for a triumphant dash through a crowded street or be knocked over? I think not, and yet the manner in which many cars and taxis speed through our city streets is amazing and calls for drastic speed regulations and heavy punishment for breaches thereof. No doubt the pedestrian is at times largely to blame, but if a driver maintains the principle of safety first, he will seldom be caught napping.

### CAUTIOUS DRIVING

I have not in this little talk to-night touched upon such a matter of how to properly drive a car, or even what to do when an accident seems inevitable. I am not teaching anyone; nor do I consider I am at all qualified to do so. It is not necessary to assume that the standard of driving in this Colony is very far from it—the standard, as compared favourably with any place, and having regard to the congested area of the city and the rather peculiar circumstances prevalent of a non-traffic minded people, it might be claimed that the standard of driving is high. Nevertheless, more cautious driving is necessary. To take chances is risky here and to be alert to danger at the most unexpected moment is essential. If drivers will only keep their minds on the job, I am certain there will be less damage done both to your car, to you and to others. By others, I mean those who are entitled to expect care on your part: you expect it from others yourself.

I read a little paragraph the other day which I think is applicable.

A magistrate trying a case said to the accused "You will not be allowed to drive for two years."

The accused "But Sir, my living depends on it."

The Magistrate "So does theirs."

was eating the unripe seed as soon as they hatch out.

### CHECK ON DEVELOPMENT

If these insects can be established here, they will spread to all Lantana plants in the Colony, and form a definite check on development.

A previous experiment, of a similar nature was carried out, some three years ago, but there was no evidence as to whether any of the imported insects survived. They had to be shipped to Hong Kong in the cold storage of a steamer, most of the larvae perishing on the voyage.

Now, however, the "defending forces" are being imported by Pan-American Clipper, and there are hopes for the eventual entire elimination of the Lantana.

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The Building Committee of Christ Church, Kowloon Tong, would like to take this opportunity of thanking all those who have contributed.

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THE SWEDISH-CHINESE  
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THE HONG KONG  
JOCKEY CLUB.

## NOTICE

The NOVEMBER HALF-YEARLY GENERAL MEETING OF VOTING MEMBERS will be held at the Club House, Happy Valley, on Thursday, 26th November, 1936, at 5.30 p.m.

ALL MEMBERS are cordially invited to attend and participate in any discussion which may ensue.

By Order of the Stewards,

S. A. SLEAP,

Actg. Secretary.

Hong Kong, 11th Nov., 1936.

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THE HONG KONG  
JOCKEY CLUB

Draft Programmes and Entry Forms for the Twelfth Extra Race Meeting to be held on Saturday, 5th December, 1936 (weather permitting) may be obtained at the Secretary's Office, Exchange Building, the Club House, Happy Valley, the Hong Kong Club, the Sports Club, and the Stables, Shan Kwong Road.

Entries close at 12 o'clock NOON on Thursday, 26th November, 1936.

By Order,

S. A. SLEAP,

Actg. Secretary.

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## PUBLIC AUCTION.

PARTICULARS AND CONDITIONS of the Sale by Public Auction to be held on Monday, the 30th day of Nov., 1936 at 3 p.m., at the Office of the Public Works Department, by Order of His Excellency the Governor of one Lot of Crown Land at Wong Nei Chong in the Colony of Hong Kong for a term of 75 years, with the option of renewal at a Crown Rent to be fixed by the Surveyor of His Majesty the King, for one further term of 75 years.

Intending bidders are advised that immediately after the disposal of the lot the purchaser will be required to deposit with an authorised officer who will be present at the sale, the sum of two hundred dollars, \$200.00 in cash. This sum will be refunded on payment of the purchase price.

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## CHINESE INCOME TAX

Modern Governments in China have not infrequently cast envious glances at that final proof of Western civilisation the income tax. They have found that in the United States income tax forms 50 per cent of the national revenue, in Great Britain 34 per cent, in France 30 per cent, and even in their neighbour Japan rather more than 13 per cent; and if Japan can have an income tax, why not China? As a recent official publication puts it, "That the collection of income tax is necessary to a modern State is therefore beyond dispute."

Unfortunately, in less settled countries than our own, of all forms of taxation income tax is the hardest to collect and administer. In China so far it has proved impossible, but in July of this year the Nanking Government passed a new set of regulations for income tax, part of which became effective on October 1.

It is not, perhaps, a very good form of income tax, as it makes no allowances for a wife or children, starts far too low down in the scale of incomes, and has the added complication of having to be collected monthly; but what for the moment is more interesting is the question whether an attempt will be made to enforce it.

Foreign residents in Shanghai and other ports are laughing loudly at the idea, but although their laughter may be justified by events one cannot help thinking that its loudness is partly due to the announced intention of the Chinese Government to make foreigners pay too. Most of them feel fairly secure in the knowledge that extra-territorial rights, though not exempting them from taxation, make it almost impossible for the Chinese Government to enforce payment.

SHARP PROTEST  
LODGEDAlleged Violation  
On Border

Moscow, Nov. 25. The Foreign Office has lodged a sharp protest with the Japanese Embassy regarding another alleged violation of the frontier at 5 p.m. yesterday. It is stated that 50 Japanese and Manchurian troops crossed the border near the 20th boundary post on the Russo-Manchurian border and penetrated nearly half a mile into Soviet territory. They opened fire on frontier guards who, however, quickly forced them to retire.—*Reuter*.

SIR STAFFORD CRIPPS  
VIEWS REPUDIATED

London, Nov. 25. The National Executive Labour Party to-day officially repudiated Sir Stafford Cripps' views expressed on November 20. Cripps, in the course of a speech supporting the Labour candidate at the Preston by-election, caused at the appointment of Mr. W. M. Kirkpatrick to undertake a trade mission to China, is alleged to have said that it would not be a bad thing for the British workers if Germany defeated us, adding that it would be a disaster for the capitalists, but not necessarily for the working class.

Regret is expressed that a prominent Labourite had publicly expressed views completely at variance with the Labour aims and policy. Sir Stafford is not now a member of the Executive Labour Party.—*Reuter*.

BOMB FALLS NEAR  
BRITISH CRUISER

Lisbon, Nov. 25. A decisive attack on Madrid will not be made at present, declared General Franco, according to the Salamanca correspondent of the newspaper Oseculo who added that the insurgents plan to take Escorial first and then encircle the capital.

A message from Madrid states that it reported from Malaga that a bomb dropped by an insurgent plane fell close to a British cruiser in the bay during an air raid on the town.—*Reuter*.

ARMS IMPORTATION  
PREVENTION

London, Nov. 25. It is understood that the text of the Bill designed to prevent importation into Spain by any British vessel of arms shipped from foreign ports was before the Cabinet at the usual weekly meeting to-day. The anticipated measure will be introduced into Commons to-morrow, circulated to members at the end of week, and passed through all its stages in a single sitting next Monday.—*British Wireless*.

PREPARING LARGE  
SCALE OFFENSIVE

## Against Mongol Irregulars

Nanking, Nov. 25. Central government troops are rapidly massing in the east Suifu front preparatory to a large scale offensive against Mongol Manchukuo irregulars. General Tang En Peh and Meng Hing Yo, commanders respectively of the thirteenth Army Corps and Cavalry Division have established temporary headquarters at Tatung, north Shansi.—*Reuter*.

AIR LINER FOUND  
IN DESERT

Cairo, Nov. 25. The Egyptian air liner which was reported lost yesterday between Haifa and Port Said has now been found by Bedouin tribesmen in the Sinai desert outside Palestine. The pilot lost his way and made a forced landing owing to shortage of petrol.—*Reuter*.

but the British are nervously remembering that in 1927 their own Government expressed its willingness to make British subjects in China liable to pay such regular and legal Chinese taxation as is in fact imposed on and paid by Chinese citizens throughout China. For once the much-abused inefficiency of a Chinese Government may seem something of a blessing.

KING'S AIR  
TRAVELEmpire Tour  
Contemplated

## AFTER CORONATION

Plans for an extensive Empire tour are, I hear, being made by the King. Much of his journey will be by air, so as to avoid long, tiring train journeys, states the Political Correspondent of the "Daily Mail".

The announcement by the Canadian Premier on November 6 that the King is planning a visit to the Dominion soon after the Coronation has caused no surprise in political circles. This will be the first time the reigning Monarch has visited Canada.

His Majesty, as was announced in Parliament this week, is going to India in 1937.

The Canadian visit will be made as soon as possible after the King returns from India, according to the Dominion Premier, Mr. Mackenzie King.

Recently, Lord Clarendon, Governor-General of the Union of South Africa, expressed the hope that the King would pay a visit to South Africa. An extension of the tour to that country is, I am told, now regarded as a certainty.

The people of distant Australia and New Zealand are anxious to see their King-Emperor.

## WIDER TOUR IN INDIA

In India, for example, King Edward will, by using his plane, cover far more ground and visit many more towns than was the case during King George's Indian tour.

A Royal Empire progress following the Coronation and the Imperial Conference next May would be greatly appreciated.

Even if it is found impossible to include Australia and New Zealand in the first tour, the King is certain to visit those Dominions within the next year or two.

In the absence of the King a Council of State would be appointed.

SUBMARINE WAR  
RULES5-Power Protocol  
SignedMERCHANT VESSELS'  
PROTECTION

Representatives of Great Britain and all the Dominions, the United States, Japan, France and Italy met at the Foreign Office recently to sign the protocol relating to the rules of submarine warfare set forth in Part IV. of the 1930 Treaty of London, states Hector C. Bywater, "Daily Telegraph" Naval correspondent.

The effect of this protocol is not only to prolong for an indefinite period the rules governing submarine warfare, but to bring within their scope the great Powers—France and Italy—which had not previously been bound by them.

Germany is already a party to the rules by virtue of her renunciation of "unrestricted" submarine warfare in the notes exchanged when the Anglo-German naval treaty was concluded last year.

Russia is expected to adhere in the near future, and the British Government hopes eventually to bring in all the remaining maritime Powers to give the new rules a world-wide application.

Mr. Anthony Eden, Mr. Ramsay MacDonald, and Sir Samuel Hoare signed the protocol on behalf of the British Government.

## EXCEPTIONAL IMPORTANCE

Both the British Government and Admiralty, I understand, attach exceptional importance to the protocol, which they regard as a big step in the direction of humanising warfare at sea. The essential rules are as follows:

"In their action with regard to merchant ships, submarines must conform to the rules of International Law to which surface vessels are subject."

"In particular, except in the case of persistent refusal to stop on being duly summoned, or of active resistance to search, a warship, whether surface vessel or submarine, may not sink or render incapable of navigation a merchant vessel without having first placed passengers, crew and ship's papers in a place of safety."

HONG KONG RIFLE  
ASSOCIATIONFine Shooting By Chief  
Petty Officer

## ANNUAL DINNER NEXT TUESDAY

With the units now away in camp on special training, and with the 1st Bn. Royal Ulster Rifles firing their annual musketry course, it was not expected that the attendance on the Army Ranges at Kowloon City yesterday afternoon, at the mid-week Spoon and Practice Shoot of the Hong Kong Rifle Association, would be very large, with the result that as extra target accommodation had to be hurriedly requisitioned, in order to ensure that shooting was completed before total darkness set in.

The light on the whole was good, but the wind was showing its usual tricky nature, which, combined with the falling light, worried many competitors at 600 yards. The highest score made with the "1914" rifle, in the S.R. (b) class was the aggregate of 99 obtained by Lieut. Ratcliffe of the 1st Bn. Royal Ulster Rifles, a very fine shoot, but the outstanding performance of the afternoon was that of E.R.A. Haynes of H.M.S. "Medway", who, although shooting for the third time only with this rifle, secured a total score of 97, as is shown in detail below.

In this connection, it is of interest to note that Cpl. Bainborough of the 1st Bn. Royal Ulster Rifles, made a total score of 89, which with his handicap of 6 brought the handicap score exactly equal to that made by the Chief Petty Officer referred to above. An extra spoon is therefore being awarded on this occasion.

The winner of the spoon in the S.R. (a) Class was Cpl. Stewart also of the 1st Bn. Royal Ulster Rifles who, with a net score of 89, came easily first in this series when his handicap was added to the score actually made.

As there appears to be considerable misunderstanding, and misconception, regarding the handicaps of those who are awarded handicap spoons, it is pointed out that the handicaps of those shown, for example, at the foot of this article, are those which have been decreased by one point, for the reason that a spoon has been won. In other words, if it

is desired to compare the handicap scores of those whose names appear below, that of the winner of the handicap spoon should be increased by one point in order to obtain his correct assessment, as regards his handicap score. In the case of a competitor who, with a handicap of one wins the handicap spoon, the handicap against his name will be shown as "scratch", and once this is the case, it will remain as "scratch" for the whole of the season.

Not unnaturally, the chief topic of conversation on the ranges yesterday afternoon was the forthcoming first annual dinner which is to be held at the Peninsula Hotel on Tuesday evening next. The fact that the number expected from the Navy is already twice that anticipated, while the number of those attending from the 1st Bn. Royal Ulster Rifles is likely to run into three figures, would appear to show that this function is likely to prove a very popular one, particularly so as every affiliated unit and club will be represented, together with members from the Services, Volunteers, Hong Kong Police &c., &c.

In connection with this dinner, arrangements are being made for the "Bisley Chair" to be on view, together with the various Challenge Cups and trophies which had been so generously awarded by various organisations and individual donors, while it is hoped that the film taken at the last Prize Meeting will be shown at intervals throughout the evening.

It is expected that an interesting announcement will be made by the President at this function regarding the growth of the Association, not only in individual full membership, but as regards affiliated membership as well, while reference will be made to the forthcoming opening to the Association's new Clubhouse which is now rapidly nearing completion, and which, as the "N. R. A. Journal" states in its current issue "will be as good as anything to be seen on the Bisley ranges."

The leading score made yesterday afternoon are as follows:—

S.R. (B)	Score at 200 yds.	Score at 500 yds.	Score at 600 yds.	Aggregate Score
1—Lieut. Ratcliffe	32	35	32	99
2—E.R.A. W. Haynes	33	32	32	97
3—A.B. Bowerman	32	31	33	96
4—S.M. Hull	31	31	32	94
5—Capt. Rybot	32	32	30	94
6—Lieut. Patullo	34	30	30	94
7—Lieut. Sequerra	3	29	30	93
8—Cpl. J. Watson	31	27	33	91
9—Lieut. Berlyn	33	33	25	91
10—Cpl. Bainborough	5	30	31	89
11—L/Cpl. Trimble	5	29	29	88
12—Cpl. Stewart	2	30	29	87 (a)
13—Mr. Lakeman	6	28	30	87
14—Major Edwards	2	30	28	85
15—Lieut. Wilson	—	30	26	85
16—C.Q.M.S. Wallace	4	31	26	85
17—Rfn. J. Murphy	5	30	29	85

(a) Signifies that the S.R. (b) rifle was used.

All other competitors used the "1914" rifle.

S.R. (A)	Score at 200 yds.	Score at 500 yds.	Score at 600 yds.	Aggregate Score
1—Cpl. Stewart	7	30	30	89
2—Lieut. Ratcliffe	5	29	31	88
3—C.Q.M.S. Wallace	7	28	31	87
4—Rfn. Stafford	7	30	29	86
5—Sgt. Rattenbury	6	29	27	81
6—L/Cpl. W. Wilson	5	27	25	80

\*—Nett Spoon —Handicap Spoon

Note:—The handicap of each winner has been reduced by one point, as shown. This procedure applies to both S.R. (a) and S.R. (b) spoon shoots.

## placed passengers, crew and ship's papers in a place of safety.

"For this purpose the ships boats are not regarded as a place of safety unless, the safety of the passengers and crew is assured, in the existing sea and weather conditions, by the proximity of another vessel which is in a position to take them on board."

While the value of the protocol is fully recognised in naval circles, it is pointed out that its logical counterpart is a convention forbidding aircraft attack on merchant ships. No aircraft now existing, or likely to exist in the near future, is capable of stopping and searching a merchant vessel, still less of placing those on board in safety.

## ARMS SMUGGLING

Marseilles, Nov. 25. The French Police flying squad have seized nine lorries loaded with arms and ammunition a few miles to the north of Marseilles. Eleven people have been arrested as a result.—*Reuter*.

## FRENCH DESTROYERS LEAVE

Paris, Nov. 25. The French torpedo destroyer Verdon left Barcelona for Toulon and the torpedo destroyer La Palme Toulon for Palma de Mallorca according to information from authoritative quarters.—*Transocean News Service*.

## NEWS IN BRIEF

The smuggling of artificial silk from Japan is blamed for the fact that more than 70 silk shops and stores in Tientsin have had to close since March last. The Peking match factory, one of the biggest of its kind in North China, is said to have been seriously affected by the quantities of matches entering China without payment of duty.

Various Chinese banks in Tientsin are reported to be in difficulties arising from the inability of a number of Chinese merchants to repay loans made to them at the beginning of this year. These merchants, it is reported, have suffered from the widespread smuggling carried on in North China since the spring.

The Canton-Hankow Railway is obtaining 24 locomotives and 430 passenger and freight cars from England and this new rolling stock is expected to arrive before the end of this year.

Concern is expressed in Shanghai Chinese circles at the report that Japanese interests have appropriated \$400,000 for the purchase of a large tract of land at Beishawan (Macao) for the construction of wharves and godowns.

SIR C. LEVITA TO  
PAY £7,500B.B.C. Slander Suit  
ResultCASE MAY BE RAISED  
IN PARLIAMENT

Mr. R. S. Lambert, Editor of "The Listener," the B.B.C. journal, was awarded £7,500 damages against Sir Cecil Levita, former Chairman of the London County Council, by a King's Bench jury recently for slander.

Mr. Justice Swift, in his address to the jury, said:

"You may think it a dreadful thing, when a man in a public position thinks he has been affronted or outraged and brings an action in these courts demanding redress of the wrong done him, that behind his back, his employers should be approached and should be asked to bring pressure on him to settle the matter."

When the jury returned, after 75 minutes' absence, both Mr. and Mrs. Lambert and Sir Cecil and Lady Levita were in court.

Mr. Justice Swift read out the answers to the questions he had put to the jury. The announcement of the assessment of damages at £7,500 caused a gasp of surprise.

## CONGRATULATIONS IN COURT

When judgment for Mr. Lambert, with costs, had been given, he was surrounded by friends, who pushed forward to shake hands.

Mrs. Lambert said to a representative of "The Daily Telegraph": "This has been a great fight for the right. We have been very worried and are very tired."

Mr. Lambert added: "All I can say is, we have tried to work in the public interest. The result is very fine."

Sir Cecil and Lady Levita would say nothing about the result.

"The Daily Telegraph" understands that questions about the case are to be asked in the House of Commons shortly.

THE KARACHI  
AIR-PORT

Work is proceeding rapidly in connection with developments and improvements which are in progress at the Karachi air-port. A large new hangar is practically completed, and work on the new electrical apparatus, necessary for the night-lighting scheme, is being pushed forward. Equipment for the boundary lights is in position, while important work is now in hand in connection with the provision of new roads and improved drainage. The latter, we understand, will be capable of dealing with any emergency in the way of excessive rainfall. It is stated in a recent bulletin issued by Messrs. Imperial Airways, Limited, Airways House, Charles-street, London, S.W.1, that when the present schemes are completed, the new airport, with its landing area, roads and buildings, will extend over an area of approximately four square miles.



## ROUTINE MOVEMENTS AT MALTA

### Sensational Interpretations In Messages

#### RELIEF PROGRAMME FIXED SOME WEEKS AGO

London, November 25. Sensational interpretations were last night placed in press messages upon certain routine ship movements at Malta. The facts of the case are that H.M.S. Cyclops, depot ship of the first submarine flotilla left Malta for Alicante to relieve H.M.S. Woolwich, destroyer depot ship. This type of vessel owing to accommodation available has proved of particular use for evacuation of refugees. Within the next two days H.M.S. Galatea, flag ship of Rear-Admiral Somerville, commanding the destroyer flotilla leaves Malta at the conclusion of the Turkish fleet's visit with three destroyer flotilla to relieve Arethusa, and first destroyer flotilla, now off the coast of Spain.

No official confirmation was available at the Admiralty regarding cancellation of naval leave in Malta but such cancellation is not regarded as unlikely as a local measure frequently necessary at this time of the year owing to heavy northeasterly gales which sometimes make boat communication with shore extremely difficult. There was bad weather in the Mediterranean yesterday so that recall to ships or men ashore may have been necessary for meteorological and not political reasons.

In view of persistent rumours, newspapers here recall that the Italian Government has repeatedly repudiated any intention or desire to obtain footing in Spanish territory. In addition to the terms of the Italo-German joint

communiqué issued after Count Ciano's recent visit to Berlin in which reference was made to the integrity of Spanish territory, Signor Grandi in London and Count Ciano in Rome have volunteered the most binding assurances that the Italian Government have neither the desire nor the intention to interfere in any way with the status quo of Balearic Islands.

It is now confirmed that naval ratings were recalled to their ships from shore owing to approach of gale which would have made boat communication excessively difficult. Naval movements are merely in accordance with routine relief programme fixed some weeks ago.—*British Wireless.*

## HUNGARIAN REGENT HONOURED

(“Hong Kong Daily Press” Special)

Rome, Nov. 25. A gala reception, resplendent in royal and military pomp was accorded the Hungarian Regent, Admiral Nicholas von Horthy-Nagybanya, when he arrived in this city on Tuesday. Their Majesties, the King and Queen, Mussolini, the entire Cabinet, high military and party officials were assembled at the railway station, which was decorated with the Hungarian and Italian flags, in honour of the official guest. Following the greetings, the Hungarian Regent and the King of Italy inspected the Guard of Honour, while a military band played the Hungarian National Anthem. They then entered the royal carriage, which was drawn by a black horse, and proceeded through the gaily decorated streets between solid walls of cheering spectators to the Royal Palace. The Hungarian Premier Daranyi and Foreign Minister von Kanya were also accorded a cordial welcome.—*can News Service.*

## LEAGUE MANDATES IN AFRICA

(“Hong Kong Daily Press” Special)

London, Nov. 25. The memorandum drawn up by the British East African Administrative Authorities, setting forth the alleged dangers incurred, were the former African Colonies returned to Germany, will be distributed to all members of both Houses of Parliament on Wednesday. It is learned from a reliable source.

The document sets forth that the abandonment of the League Mandates in Africa, instead of easing the situation, would but incur greater armaments and increase the tension in Europe. The erection of German Airports and naval bases in the former German East Africa would threaten the connection with South Africa and the other parts of the British Empire, and must inevitably necessitate strengthening of the defences in the other British possessions. A stronger fleet in the Indian Ocean would be the further consequence. Moreover, it is to be feared that a return of the former African Colonies to Germany—so the documents purport—would restrict the freedom of trade of other nations, so that these states would feel themselves affected.—*Transocean News Service.*

## HUNGARIAN-ITALO CONFERENCE

Rome, Nov. 25.

The first conference between the Hungarian and Italian Ministers has already taken place on Tuesday evening, though the topics of the conversation has not been revealed. The semi-official “Giornale d'Italia” points out that the visit of the Hungarian Regent and his Ministers has no immediate political purpose, but is in form of an impressive gesture of Italo-Hungarian friendship.—*Transocean News Service.*

## SOVIET AMBASSADOR AT FOREIGN OFFICE

London, Nov. 25.

The Soviet Ambassador's visit to the Foreign Office is said, by the “Morning Post's” diplomatic cor-

## SENTENCE ON GERMAN ENGINEER

### Remained In Russia Under Compulsion

Berlin, Nov. 25. The whole German press on Wednesday published in great prominence the German attitude taken up towards the sentence passed in Novosibirsk against the German mining engineer Sticking. The semi-official German News Agency points out that Sticking only remained in Soviet Russia under compulsion because his wife as a Soviet Russian citizen is not allowed to leave the country. Notwithstanding Sticking's former political sympathies—he was a Marxist—the Reich government used all its influence and power at its command to avert the fate threatening him, since every member of the German Reich, even while in foreign countries, is under protection of the German Commonwealth. It is a matter of honour for Germany that no one belonging to the Reich should be left to his fate. It is so the German News Agency closes its statement—for that reason that the Reich opposes with all its might the hollow sham staged at Novosibirsk, aimed not the engineer Sticking, but at the German people.—*Transocean News Service.*

#### CATEGORICAL DENIAL

London, Nov. 25. A categorical denial is given in British official quarters to a published statement that the German Ambassador Herr Ribbentrop informed the Prime Minister, Mr. Baldwin that Germany intended to break off diplomatic relations with Russia if the German engineer Sticking sentenced to death by the Soviet Supreme Court was executed. It is also denied that the British Government's views on the matter have been conveyed to the British Ambassador Viscount Chilton and that the Foreign Secretary, Mr. Eiden yesterday discussed the matter with the Soviet Ambassador, Malsky.—*British Wireless.*

## MERCHANT SHIPS GUARDED

### France Follows Britain

Paris, Nov. 24. The Government has instructed the Ministry of Marine to take all precautions necessary to protect the French flag in Spanish waters. The French authorities take the view that they cannot admit the right of the insurgents to blockade Barcelona, as General Francisco Franco's government has not been accorded belligerent rights.

Marine Ministry circles point out that according to maritime law neutrals are not obliged to observe a blockade unless it is effective and warships in the possession of the Burgos junta are too few to accomplish this.

Instructions to protect the French flag apply to waters off the coast of Spain, in other words, outside the Spanish territorial limits.

It is stated that the French Government does not intend to take steps different from those adopted by Great Britain.—*Reuter.*

## AMERICA AFFECTED?

Washington, Nov. 25.

Speaking at the National Women's Press Club, the Spanish Ambassador, Senor Del Orosio, expressed the “positive conviction” that the Spanish war will “prove the turning point of European policy,” affecting also the Americans.

Senator Pittman, speaking at the Press Conference, said that as far as he knew, no American munitions had been sent to either faction in Spain, and he was confident that the present neutrality legislation would keep America out of any possible war.—*Reuter.*

## MODERN ROLLING MILLS

Duesseldorf, Nov. 25. The largest and most modern rolling mills were inaugurated near Duisburg on Tuesday, where the famous Mannesmann Pipe Works had erected the plant. The new plant has a daily output of over 1,000 tons.—*Transocean News Service.*

## “IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT”

### Political Circles Guessing

#### JAPAN-GERMAN AGREEMENT

Berlin, Nov. 25. Political circles here are guessing the object of an “important announcement” which foreign Ambassadors, except the Soviet, have been summoned to hear this afternoon. It is surmised that it is either a rupture in the German-Soviet relations or a disclosure of the Japan-German agreement.—*Reuter.*

#### AGREEMENT CONCLUDED

Berlin, Nov. 25. It is officially announced that Japan and Germany concluded their Agreement which is directed against the Communist International.—*Reuter.*

## DRIVE AGAINST COMMUNISM

Berlin, Nov. 25.

The Agreement was signed today by Herr Von Ribbentrop and Viscount Matsuoka. The Japanese and German Governments recognise that the aim of Communism is to deteriorate and violate existing states with all means at their disposal. They are convinced that the toleration or interference by Communists in internal relations between nations not only endangers internal peace and the social welfare thereof but threatens world peace.

The Government agreed to inform each other about the activity of the Communist and to discuss and carry out measures of defence in close co-operation. They will invite other powers, whose internal peace is threatened by the work of Communism, to participate in this Agreement.

The Agreement is to be enforced immediately and will last for five years.

The Protocol lays down the authorities of both States to take severe measures against those at home and abroad who are working directly or indirectly in the service of Communist International and forebushadows the appointment of a Standing Commission to facilitate the co-operation between both States.—*Reuter.*

## CHURCH DAMAGED

Madrid, Nov. 25.

A number of shells fell in the centre of the city on Monday evening, causing three casualties. The French Church of St. Louis was among the buildings damaged in last evening's bombardment, which was particularly terrifying for the inhabitants, as the lighting in the city is now reduced to a minimum. Dogged fighting occurred in the University City, the French Bridge sector and the Casa del Campo. It is claimed that the fighting went in favour of the Government forces.—*Reuter.*

## REQUEST UNANSWERED

London, Nov. 25.

The British Government's request for information regarding a safe anchorage at Barcelona, which was addressed to the Burgos authorities after the receipt of their recent warning of the intention to bombard that port, has not yet been answered.

General Franco's reply repeats what had already been stated with regard to safety zones at Tarragona, Valencia, Alicante and Cartagena. The British Ambassador at Hendaye, Sir Henry Chilton, has now asked for precise information on the position at Barcelona as early as possible.

The Foreign Secretary's statement in the Commons on Monday foreshadowing legislation to make it illegal for British merchant ships to carry arms to Spanish ports has been communicated to the Spanish Government and General Franco.—*British Wireless.*

## BRITISH AIRCRAFT INDUSTRY

London, Nov. 25.

The Under-Secretary for Air, Sir Philip Sassoon, in a speech in London yesterday, said that the development of the Air Force expansion scheme coincided with a period of unusual progress in the performance and design of aeroplanes and engines. How good these aircraft were was demonstrated by the fact that so many foreign nations were anxious to secure examples of them, though they knew they would have to wait a very long time for them.—*British Wireless.*

## GENERAL MAIJA DISMISSED

### Norwegian Ship Captured

Lisbon, Nov. 25.

The Anarchists in Madrid have summarily dismissed the Commander and Chairman of the of the capital's defence Committee, General Maija, according to a broadcast message from Tenerife.

The same source states that the Spanish Nationalist warships have captured a Norwegian steamer with arms on board for the Red Government in Spain, and that a Greek steamer, likewise carrying arms, has been compelled to unload its cargo for Ceuta.—*Transocean News Service.*

## WAR CHECKED BY SNOW AND RAIN

Madrid, Nov. 24.

Snow and rain are preventing military operations on any considerable scale to-day.

The Government claims the insurgents have not advanced beyond the University City.

The militia men are now resting from their counter-attacks, and are helping in the evacuation of Madrid's civilian population. They have arranged for the safe storage of artistic and scientific treasures.—*Reuter's Bulletin Service.*

#### FOOD TRAIN BOMBED

Seville, Nov. 24.

The insurgents claim to have repulsed several attacks by Government troops yesterday and also to have destroyed by air attack a food train on the way to Madrid from Valencia.—*Reuter's Bulletin Service.*

#### ASKED TO LEAVE

Valencia, Nov. 24.

The Spanish Foreign Minister Senor Delgado, has requested the Chilean Ambassador, as doyen of the Diplomatic Corps in Madrid, to inform the members and personnel of the German and Italian Embassies, who are still in Madrid, to move out within 24 hours.—*Reuter.*

#### GERMANS LEAVE

Madrid, Nov. 24.

The German Embassy evacuated from Madrid this afternoon.—*Reuter.*

TRANSPORTATION DIFFICULTY

Washington, Nov. 24.

Mr. Eric Wendell, the United States Charge d'Affaires in Madrid, reports to the State Department that he is experiencing difficulty in procuring transport for the evacuation of the Embassy staff and American nationals still in Madrid, who number approximately 200.

However, it is his opinion that few of the Americans left in Madrid would wish to leave.—*Reuter.*

#### PRECAUTIONS TAKEN

Malta, Nov. 24.

The submarine flotilla of the Mediterranean Fleet, consisting of nine submarines and the depot ship Cyclops, has left Malta.

Though there is no official information as to their destination, it is understood they are bound for Spanish waters.—*Reuter.*

#### NOT BOUND FOR SPAIN

London, Nov. 24.

The Admiralty announced to-day that there was no question of any British submarine having gone to Spanish water, but the report that they had done so might have arisen from the fact the some submarines accompanied the depot ship Cyclops from port with the object of conducting exercises. Thereafter the vessels returned to Malta, the Admiralty asserts.

It is admitted, however, that all naval leave has been stopped in Malta and the boxing tournament, which was to have been held this evening for the entertainment of the Turkish fleet, has been cancelled at the eleventh hour.—*Reuter.*

#### A MYSTERY

London, Nov. 24.

Is the submarine which is alleged to have attacked the Spanish Government cruiser Cervantes a deserter from the loyalist navy?

This surmise is advanced in London diplomatic circles on the strength of the report that the Madrid Government sent out a submarine about a month ago to patrol the Straits of Gibraltar which has not since returned to its base. It is thought it may have joined the insurgents, but it may have been destroyed by rebel ships.—*Reuter's Bulletin Service.*

#### NAVAL MOVEMENTS

London, Nov. 24.

Alterations in the disposition of British warships in the Mediterranean

## HERR HITLER ON “THE COMING STRUGGLE”

### “Red Drums Are Beating”

#### SPEECH TO HIS OLD COMRADES

Munich, Nov. 9.

Herr Hitler, in a speech here to-night, warned his hearers to “prepare for the coming struggle against Bolshevism.” It would perhaps come sooner than was expected, he declared.

“The red drums are beating in Europe,” he continued, “and the time may soon come when Germany will be compelled to defend a threatened European civilisation.”

Herr Hitler was addressing 2,000 old party comrades who took part with him in the abortive rising in Munich in 1923.

To-day was the thirteenth anniversary of the revolt.

He held a reception for these veteran rebels at Burgerbrau beer-hall, where the original coup was planned. His speech there to-night was broadcast over all the German stations.

#### WALL OF ARMOUR

Herr Hitler said that when the Nazi movement was founded, he and his followers were branded as fanatical lunatics. Now the whole German people had been won to the Nazi cause. “Let no one be so foolish as to think,” he shouted, “that we will not hold this power for ever.”

The German armament factories, he continued, had been working day and night for 3½ years and had forged an impregnable wall of armour around Germany, a wall within which stood the German people prepared now for sacrifice, as in the past.

The world now knew that they had another Germany to deal with, Herr Hitler continued, a Germany prepared to defend her rights and honour to the last ditch. If some people thought that Germany was loved less now than eight years ago, he was inclined to agree. He preferred the respect of foreign countries to their love.

The anniversary of the Munich rising was observed to-day throughout Germany as a national day of mourning. A special memorial service was held this evening at the Feldherrenhalle, where 16 “Nazi heroes” were shot by the Reichswehr in 1923.

Forty thousand Storm Troopers, members of the Hitler Youth, Nazi Protective Guards, and Reichswehr soldiers, who had arrived by special train from all over Germany, took part in to-night's ceremony. It began with a Nazi procession shortly before midnight, the route followed being that taken 13 years ago.

Street lights were extinguished. Red-draped pylons, bearing the names of the dead Nazi heroes, supported flaming bowls of remembrance fires, and these were the sole illumination.

## QUIETEST DAY FOR MANY WEEKS

### Insurgents Preparing Big Offensive

#### PRISONERS EVACUATE FROM MADRID

London, Nov. 25.

Madrid experienced the quietest day for many weeks only minor attacks by Government troops being reported. It is stated the insurgents are preparing a big offensive very shortly. More than a thousand prisoners in the model prison have evacuated towards Valencia. Most of them who are ex-officers and insurgent sympathisers who intended to form a column inside Madrid are taking arms to join the insurgents.—*Reuter.*

## QUESTIONS IN COMMONS

London, Nov. 25.

In the House of Commons to-day, Mr. A. E. L. Chorlton, M.P. (U) asked how the Japanese Government could reconcile the military occupation of Charhar and part of Suiyuan with obligations under the Nine-Power Treaty.

Replying, Mr. Eiden, Foreign Secretary, said that according to information available the Japanese troops apparently have not occupied Charhar and part of Suiyuan.

Mr. Chorlton requested information on particular effects on textile imports to those countries.—*That's another matter,”* replied Mr. Eiden.—*Reuter.*

## ASSURANCE BY ITALY

London, Nov. 25.

It is understood that the Italian Government has again assured the British Government that Italy has no intention of establishing a permanent naval base on the Balearic Islands. The diplomatic correspondent of the “Daily Telegraph” states that the Italian Ambassador Signor Grandi, who has just returned from Rome, has been charged to convey these assurances to the Foreign Office. It is added that Grandi will inform Mr. Eiden that, as long as the possibility exists that a Soviet Republic will be erected on the Mediterranean, Italy will continue to keep watch from a point of observation from the Balearic Isles, but that as soon as General Francisco Franco's forces have established effective control over the region, Italy will withdraw.—*Transocean News Service.*

can be understood to have been taken with a view to implementing Mr. Anthony Eden's statement in the House of Commons yesterday that British shipping would be protected against interference from either side in the Spanish civil war.—*Reuter.*

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## LOCAL SOCCER

### Fixtures For Week-End

#### SENIOR SHIELD

1st Round  
(Saturday, Nov. 28.)  
Eastern v. St. Joseph's—N. 4 p.m. Referee: H. F. Scrutton.

#### JUNIOR SHIELD

Kumoon R. v. Kowloon C.—C. 2.15 p.m. Referee: A. E. Clark.  
Liga P. v. R.U.R.—C. 4 p.m. Referee: Mathewson.

#### 1ST DIVISION

Recrelo v. R.A. (L)—K.P. 2.15 p.m. Referee: T. Davies.  
E. Lan. R. v. Kowloon—S2. Referee: A. E. Sidebottom.  
S. China 'A' v. H.K.F.C.—CH2. Referee: Kossick.

#### 2ND DIVISION

Recrelo v. R.W.F.—K.P. 2. Referee: Smyth.  
E. Lan. R. v. Kowloon—S1. Referee: Richards.  
R.E. v. H.K.F.C.—M2. Referee: Butterworth.

#### 3RD DIVISION

Police C. v. E. Lan. R.—K1. Referee: Dredge.  
St. Joseph's v. R.A.O.C.—J2. Referee: Ridley.  
R.E. v. Kwong Wah—M1. Referee: Perks.

#### 4TH DIVISION

Police E. v. R.W.F.—K2. Referee: Williams.  
1st Division  
(Sunday, Nov. 29.)  
Kowloon C. v. S. China 'B'—H2. Referee: Isley.  
H.K. Police v. S. China 'A'—K2. Referee: Payne.

#### 2ND DIVISION

R. Navy v. R.U.R.—N2. Referee: K. K. Ip.  
Police C. v. S. China—K1. Referee: Haddleton.

#### 3RD DIVISION

R.A.S.C. v. R.A.F.—S2. Referee: Cossens.  
Kumoon R. v. R.A.M.C.—C2. Referee: Ball.

## NAVY GET POINTS

The Hon. Secretary of the Hong Kong Football Committee has written to the Hon. Secretary of both the Kowloon Football Club and the Royal Naval Recreation Club that the Management committee regret that, having in view the great difficulty of re-arranging football fixtures, the points for a match that was scheduled to be played on November 8, between the two clubs concerned, have been awarded the Royal Navy.

## MIXED DOUBLES TENNIS

### Mrs. Peacock And Fincher Through

Mrs. Peacock and Mr. E. C. Fincher entered the semi-final round of the Mixed Doubles Championship of the Colony yesterday by virtue of a crushing defeat inflicted on Mrs. Dowling and Mr. A. L. Sullivan, by the scores: 6-2, 6-1. Sullivan was right off form and although Mrs. Dowling played spirited tennis, she found the steady of her opponents, who combined to a nicely, more than she could cope with.

The match was played on the U.S.R.C. ground.

## YACHTING

### Good Sport Witnessed Yesterday

Over a distance of 9.6 miles, the Suezstake Race was sailed yesterday, when both "A" Class boats and others in the "Mixed" Class participated.

Course: Channel Rock (P), Rumsey Shoal (P), Channel Rock (P), Kowloon Rock (P), N. Mark on Line (S), Rumsey Shoal (S), Club Line.

"A" Class—Started 14.45

Finished Pos.

Carpenter, A1 16.32.19 1

(Capt. D. M. Eley)

Lobo, A2 D.N.F. —

Eve, A3 16.44.52 5

(Capt. Bader)

Isobel, A7 16.32.26 2

(Major R.E.C. Dixon)

Kittiwake, A12 16.33.44 3

(Col. J. F. King)

Painted Lady, A14 16.37.01 4

(Major F. C. Booty)

Mixed Class—Started 14.55

Finished, Corr. Pos.

Dorothea, H9 16.40.18 3

(Lt.-Col. S. D. Reid)

Alisa, I3 16.53.02 16.42.4 4

(Com. G. Barnard R. N.)

Widgeon, Y5 16.43.38 16.36.6 1

(Miss H. Crawshaw-Wilson)

Ocel, G1 17.05.34 16.37.42 2

(Capt. A. McMillan)

## JOHN HENRY LEWIS KEEPS HIS TITLE

### World Champion Beats Harvey On Points

### BRITISH CHALLENGER'S GREAT BATTLE AGAINST NEGRO

Len Harvey failed in his attempt at Wembley on November 19 to win the light-weight championship of the world. He was beaten on points over 15 rounds by John Henry Lewis, the young American negro holder of the title, states Harold Lewis in the "Daily Telegraph."

Although the decision was hoed, there could be no doubt whatever in the mind of the referee, that wise veteran, Mr. Jack Smith, of Manchester. He did not even study his card.

In my view, decision would have been the same had the fight ended in any round after the first. Lewis won every other round except the last.

There were no knockdowns, no injuries beyond a swelling around Harvey's left eye, and at no time was either man in any serious trouble.

The last round was almost as fast as the first. Yet it was always a hard fight, always interesting despite the steadily lengthening lead of the negro.

From the British point of view, the one comforting feature was the grand fight put up by Harvey. For a man close on 30, a veteran of veterans counting age by contests, his feat in standing up to this powerful young negro of 22 for 15 rounds was little short of marvellous.

He had enough stamina left in the 15th round for one last desperate effort to win the fight by a knockout, and this round was actually his best. He had increased his pace fought like a tiger, planting a succession of solid resounding blows to the body which for the first time made the negro gasp and pause.

It was useless of course. Nothing short of a knockout could have won for Harvey then. But I would like here to quote his first remark to Mr. A. J. Elvin as he left the ring: "Did I do well? I told you I was determined to give the public a show, and to give Lewis a run for his money."

He certainly did. Lewis was better than I had expected; yet disappointing. He was clever in the same way that Harvey is clever—shrewd and knowledgeable at infighting, sensing the rights holdable to hit in the clinch and on the break. He also had a good left hand which he kept thrusting into Harvey's face with some venom. And he met Harvey's attempts to lead at him with good footwork.

#### LEWIS' CHANCES

He was strong and light on his feet and had splendid fitness and latent power. Yet the fact remains that a real top-of-the-tree champion would have finished this fight far sooner than 15 rounds, despite the resistance of the stout-hearted Harvey—who he forgave me if I call him our champion veteran?

Lewis had his chances. He attacked steadily from the second round onwards, and in the second half of the fight with the desperation and the suspicion of the stranger who fears a points verdict.

His aggression naturally forced Harvey's guard open at times. In the 13th round, for instance, he had Harvey on the ropes, and slammed him with right and left. There should have been a knockout in each punch. The truth is that Lewis on these occasions was seen to be somewhat of a slapper, hitting with the side of the glove.

To the body, or with a straight left, Lewis's punches were solid and clean, but he could not punch truly to a moving jaw. It goes to his credit, however, that he is the first boxer we have seen able to play Harvey at his own game and beat him.

A last criticism: Lewis struck me as a fine boxing machine. His attack like his defence, like his tip-toe balance, was rhythmical, orthodox, but uninspired.

The referee cautioned both boxers at times. He cautioned Harvey most, and there I think he was wrong. For once Harvey was faced with a man who knew all he knew and a bit more about that phase of the game. Lewis, in my view, was the worst offender. But the holding, thanks to Mr. Smith, never split the fight.

The crowd will be wondering whether the story of Lewis's damaged eye was a clever piece of strategy or not. Harvey was probably the first man in that hall to notice that when Lewis entered

the ring he wore a strip of white plaster over that old cut near the right eye.

#### DAMAGED EYE—STRATEGY?

Harvey fought for that eye with all the skill and cunning he possessed, and half-way through the fight succeeded in knocking it off. Afterwards he banged several good left hooks on the scar. But they had no effect whatever.

In that respect I admired immensely the ease with which Lewis picked off some of those punches in mid-air. Some of Harvey's left hooks were fast and unexpected. Yet they were caught on the glove half-way to the target.

That was the work of a master of self-defence, and illustrates the type of boxer Harvey, as the Wembley matchmaker, had asked himself to beat.

The crowd numbered 11,800 and the receipts were about £15,200.

After the fight Lewis was driven to hospital. The old injury to his right eyelid was opened again by Harvey and the probability is that although Lewis is due to go to Paris to-day, arrangements will be made for some minor operation to be made.

## THEY'RE FINED IF THEY MARRY

### But Bachelors' Club Gets Bigger

A bachelor in Belfast is liable to a fine of £10 if he marries during his membership of Belfast's Bachelors' Club, founded five years ago, states the "Bulletin." The fine must be paid at a bachelor party on his wedding eve, and the money given to charity.

Despite this undertaking and the "hazards of Leap Year," the club, which has just issued its annual report, shows a considerable increase in membership. On the credit side of the balance sheet is given the number of bachelors who have been initiated during the current year, and on the debit side the number of members who have been written off on contracting matrimony.

When the club was founded it had a membership of only 14. Of the foundation members only two remain, the rest having been disqualified automatically by marriage. Everyone who has yet held office for a year as president has been married within 12 months.

Mr. S. Pickersgill, honorary of the club, told the "Bulletin" recently that during the winter season the club held an annual dinner confined to members, and a dance, not, of course, so confined. More than half the members were professional men, and the present president is a city councillor.

"We are not misogynists," he added, "nor do we oppose the holy state of matrimony. We feel that bachelorhood, temporary though it may be, possesses its definite pattern in the fabric of society, and should have as honoured and dignified a status as the married state."

#### MARX D'ORMOY

Paris, Nov. 24.

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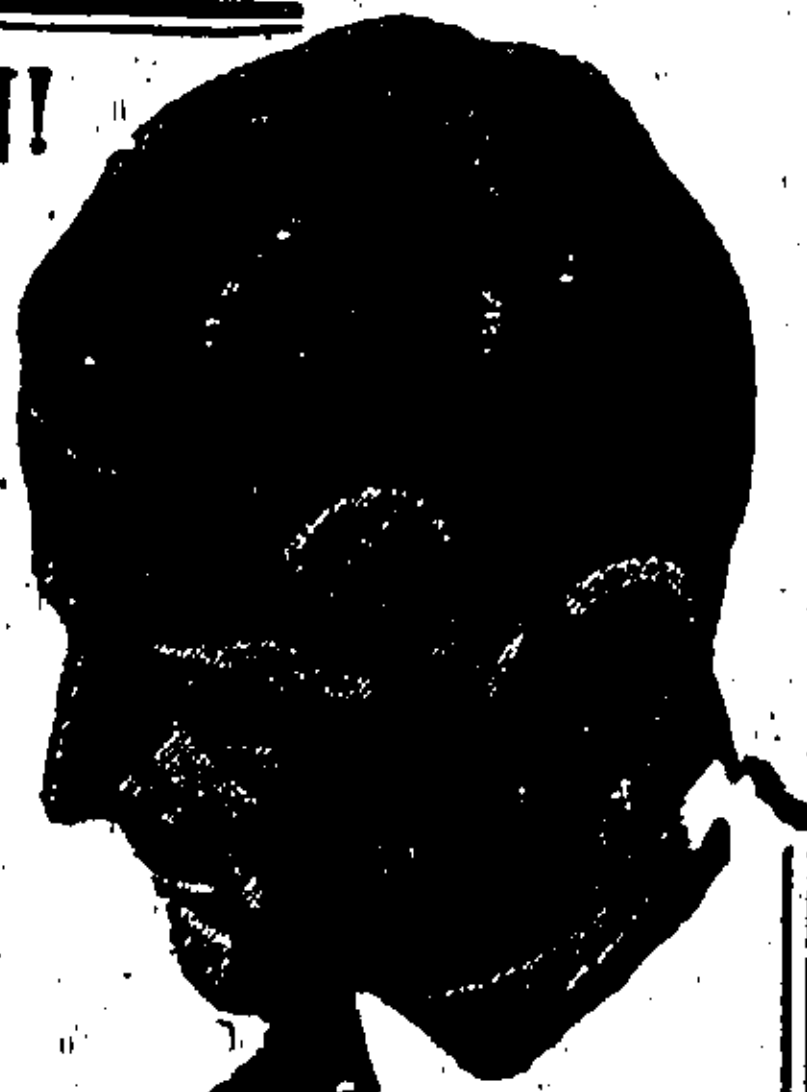
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(BY "FORWARD")

The following are the League and Cup-Ties Fixtures for Saturday the 28th instant. The teams in bold type are tipped to win.

DIVISION I.		
	Mileage.	
BIRMINGHAM	65	v. Sheffield Wed.
Charlton	240	v. Sunderland.
CHILSEA	175	v. Everton.
GRIMSBY T.	115	v. Wolves.
LEEDS	40	v. Manchester U.
Liverpool	70	v. DERBY.
MANCHESTER C.	160	v. Brentford.
MIDDLESBRO'	90	v. Preston.
PORTSMOUTH	200	v. Bolton.
STOKE C.	50	v. Huddersfield.
West Brom.	100	v. ARSENAL.

DIVISION II.		
BARNLEY	20	v. Doncaster.
BLACKBURN	60	v. Chesterfield.
BLACKPOOL	100	v. Notts F.
Bradford	175	v. FULHAM.
BURY	80	v. Aston Villa.
LEICESTER	80	v. Bradford C.
NEWCASTLE	75	v. Burnley.
NORWICH C.	170	v. Southampton.
SHEFFIELD U.	70	v. Coventry.
TOTTENHAM	196	v. Plymouth.
WEST HAM	170	v. Swansea.

### SCOTTISH LEAGUE

ABERDEEN	—	v. Hamilton.
Ablon Rovers	—	v. RANGERS.
ARBROATH	—	v. St. Mirren.
CELTIC	—	v. Dunfermline.
DUNDEE	—	v. Third Lanark.
Hibernian	—	v. FALKIRK.
KILMARNOCK	—	v. St. Johnstone.
PARTICK THISTLE	—	v. Motherwell.
Queen's of South	—	v. Hearts.
QUEEN'S PARK	—	v. Clyde.

### CUP-TIES

SHILDON	v. Stalybridge Celtic	7
S. LIVERPOOL	v. Morecombe	50
LINCOLN C.	v. N. Birghton	110
York	v. Hull	40
OLDHAM	v. Tranmere R.	40
CREWE	v. Rochdale	45
Blyth	v. WREXHAM	180
ROTHERHAM	v. Hartlepool	90
Burton Town	v. Wigan Athletic	70
BARROW	v. Mansfield	105
HALIFAX	v. Darlington	85
CARLISE	v. Stockport	110
GATESHEAD	v. Nott. C.	140
CRYSTAL P.	v. Southend	35
CORINTHIANS	v. Bristol R.	110
Walthamstow	v. NORTHAMPTON	60
QUEEN P. R.	v. Brighton	50
Ipswich T.	v. WATFORD	75
Newport C.	v. Bristol C.	20
Yeovil and Peters	v. WORTHING	100
Aldershot	v. MILLWALL	35
CLAPTON O.	v. Torquay U.	170

## RELEGATION ACTION

Against Tottenham Hotspur

A dispute arising out of the relegation of Tottenham Hotspur Football Club to the Second Division of the Football League came before the Chancery Division recently, states the "Evening

Standard." Mr. Justice Clauson dismissed with costs an action brought against the Tottenham Hotspur Football and Athletic Co., Ltd., High-road, Tottenham, by Mr. Hubert Berry, of Powys-lane, Palmer's Green, and Mr. James A. Stewart, of West Green-road, Tottenham, in which they claimed a declaration that the company were not entitled to refuse to register transfer of six Ordinary £1 shares from Mr. Berry to Mr. Stewart.

It was alleged that the directors of the company were refusing transfers of shares which would have the effect of increasing the voting power of shareholders.

The directors on the other hand, contended that they had only acted under a power given to them by the Articles of Association of the company.

### THE ARTICLE READ

The defence maintained that under Article 16 the directors had power to refuse registration of a transfer to a person of whom they did not approve, or whom they considered "objectionable," or when the transfer was considered to be proposed for "purposes not conducive to the interests of the company," and that the directors were not bound to specify the grounds of their refusal.

Mr. Manningham Buller, who appeared for Messrs. Berry and Stewart, said that the company

was formed in 1898 with a capital of £2000 in £1 shares.

There were two Articles to which he would call the attention of the court.

Article 16 provided as follows.

The directors may decline to register any transfer of shares made by a member who is indebted to the company, or in case the transferee shall be a person of whom the directors do not approve or shall be considered by them objectionable, or the transfer shall be considered as having been made for purposes not conducive to the interests of the company.

The directors shall not be bound to specify the grounds upon which the registration of any transfer is declined under this Article.

Previous to the disposal or transfer of any shares the proposed transferee shall submit to the directors' notice in writing of the full name, address and description of the proposed transferee for the approval of the directors.

The other article ran: "Each member who is a holder of one share shall have one vote, or if he is the holder of at least five shares he shall have two votes, and shall also be entitled to have an additional vote for every ten shares held by him beyond the first five shares. No member shall be entitled to any vote in respect of any shares unless he is a registered holder for at least one calendar month."

After evidence had been given, Mr. Fergus Morton, K.C., for the company, submitted that the plaintiffs had entirely failed to prove their case.

The Articles of Association of the company gave wide discretionary powers to the Board.

Mr. Justice Clauson, giving judgment, said he was bound to hold that the directors of the company had acted "bona fide" and that there was no ground for interfering with the decisions they came to.

## CRICKET

### H.K.C.C. Junior Side

The following have been selected to represent the H.K.C.C. and XI v. the Police R.C. on Saturday November 28, at 2.00 p.m., on the H.K.C.C. Ground.

A. K. Mackenzie (Capt.), C. G. Agnew, V. C. Bond, F. A. Dunnett, E. Bathurst, C. E. Gahagan, G. S. Chambers, R. M. M. King, W. Keith Robinson, W. Stoker and W. Wooding.

### HOCKEY

The Punjab Regiment beat the Navy "A" by three goals to nil in a hockey match played yesterday at the Marina ground yesterday. L. Singh and G. Singh and Lt. Walker scored the goals.

### UNCLAIMED TELEGRAMS

The following Unclaimed Telegrams are lying at the offices of the Great Northern Telegraph Company (Limited).

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Ohharanorthern, from Nagoya.

### SCOTLAND'S HOOKER LOST TO RUGBY

Scottish Rugby recently suffered a big loss when G. S. Cottingham, the former Kelso and Scottish International hooker, signed for Castleford Rugby League Club.

Cottingham, who will play for his new club against Leeds to-morrow, was capped against England in 1934 and 1936, against Ireland in 1934 and 1935 and against Wales in 1935.

When he went to Yorkshire on business some time ago he became a playing member of the Headingley club and was chosen for Yorkshire County. He is 23 years of age, six feet in height and weighs thirteen and a half stone.

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## DAILY SHARE QUOTATIONS

Hong Kong Stock Exchange Sharebrokers' Association

WEDNESDAY, NOV. 25.							
Buyers	Sellers	Deals	Nominal	Buyers	Sellers	Deals	Nominal
<b>Banks</b>							
\$1,735			H.K. Bank	\$1,730			
			Do. (London)				
			Chartered Bank				
			Morantile Bk. S.A.				
			Do.				
			Bank of East Asia				
			N. O. & S. Banks				
			Insurance				
			Canton Insurance				
			Union Insurance				
			Underwriters				
			China Fire				
			H.K. Fire				
			International Asso. S.				
			Shipping				
			Douglas				
			Steamboats				
			Indos (pref.)				
			Do. (def.)				
			Shells				
			Waterboats				
			Mining				
			Batavia				
			Gold Creek				
			Salsco				
			Kailash				
			Langkai (single)				
			Exploration				
			Shanghai Loans				
			Itaubs				
			Venezuela Gold Flds.				
			Docks, Wharves, Godowns, etc.				
			H.K. & K. Wharves				
			Do. (old)				
			Do. (new)				
			Provident (old)				
			Do. (new)				
			H.K. & W. Docks				
			S. China Motors				
			Shanghai Docks				
			New Engineering				
			Hongkong S.				
			Lands, Hotels, and Buildings				
			H.K. Hotels				
			H.K. Lands				
			Do. 4% Debentures				
			Shanghai Lands				
			Metropolitan Lands				
			H.K. Realities				
			China Do.				
			Do. Debentures				
			Humphreys				
			Chinese Estates				
			Cotton Mills				
			Ewos				
			Shui Cottons (old)				
			Do. (new)				
			Zoong Sing				
			Wing On Textiles				
			Public Utilities				
			Tramways				
			Do. (old)				
			Do. (new)				
			Star Ferries				
			Yaumati Ferries				
			China Lights (old)				
			Do. (new)				
			H.K. Electric				
			Macao do.				
			Sandakan Light				
			Telephones (old)				
			Do. (new)				
			China Buses				
			Tramways				
			Do. (pref.)				
			Industrials				
			Malabar Sugars				
			Cadbec's (old)				
			Messager (pref.)				
			Canton Iron				
			Cement				
			Ropes				
			Miscellaneous				
			Dairy Farms				
			Amusements				
			Ch. Entertainment				
			Obstructions (old)				
			Do. (new)				
			Lane Crawford				
			Mackintosh				
			Nanyang Tobacco				
			Rincoros				
			Watsons				
			Wm. Poyles				
			M. Greyhounds				
			S. O. Enterprises				
			Ch. G. 5% 1926 G. 2 Bds.				
			H.K. Govt. 4% Loans				
			Do. 3 1/2%				
			Wallace Harper				
			H.K. Wing Co.				
			Shai Do				
			Vibro Piling				

## HONG KONG TIDE TABLE

From Nov. 26, to December 3, 1936.

High Water		Low Water	
Day of Week	Time	Day of Week	Time
Thur. 26	h.m. 17.18	h.m. 01.22	2.7
Fri. 27	18.05	12.43	3.8
Sat. 28	19.47	13.21	4.9
Sun. 29	20.30	13.53	6.0
Mon. 30	21.12	14.25	7.1
Tues. 1	21.55	14.57	8.2
Wed. 2	22.37	15.29	9.3
Thur. 3	23.19	16.01	10.4

## HONGKONG METEOROLOGICAL REGISTER

Hong Kong Observatory, Nov. 25.

Previous On Date		On Date	
Day	Time	Day	Time
Barometer	30.10	30.15	30.1
Temperature	89	80	89
Humidity	37	72	77
Wind	R	ENE	E
Direction	R	E	E
Force	B	O	O
Weather	B	O	O
Rain			

Highest open-air Temperature, 24.71  
Lowest open-air Temperature, 26.63

B=Blue sky; C=Cloudy; D=Drizzle; F=Fog; L=Lightning; M=Mist; O=Overcast; P=Passing Showers; S=Squalls; R=Rain; T=Thunder.

H. K. STOCK EXCHANGE AND H. K. SHAREBROKERS' ASSOCIATION  
Philippine Gold Mining Quotations

24th Nov.		25th November, 1936	
Closing Rates		Time Received	
Antamoks	3.65	3.60	3.65
Atoka	52	31	50
Baguio Gold	26 1/2	24	14.75
Benguet Consol	15.00	14.75	15.00
Benguet Explor	15	15	16
Big Wedge	36	33	34 1/2
Demonstrations	77	75	72 1/2
Itoyos	1.50	1.45	1.40
I. X. L.	1.45	1.35	1.30
Masbates	38	36	38
Northern Mining	17	16	15
Paracale Gumaus	50	45	43
San Mauricio	2.40	2.30	2.35
Suyoc Consol	43	41	40 1/2
United Paracales	1.25	1.20	1.15

Market Comment: V.E. W. Q. R. E. Q. S. Firmer Q. Firmer Irr. Irr. Irr.

Manila Stock Exchange will be closed tomorrow, 26th November (Thanksgiving Day).

## H. K. STOCK EXCHANGE YESTERDAY'S OFFICIAL QUOTATIONS

The steady tone of the market continued, resulting in a fair turnover. Buyers were again in evidence for most of the utility counters. The Manila market was steadier.	
<b>BUYERS</b>	
Hong Kong Bank, \$1,725.	
Bank of East Asia, \$83.	
Canton Insurance, \$265.	
Union Insurance, \$588.	
H.K. & W. Docks, \$13 1/2.	
Venz. Goldfields, \$8.	
Humphreys, \$91.	
H.K. Trams, \$12 1/2.	
Star Ferries, \$92 1/2.	
Yaumati Ferries, \$25.	
China Lights (Old), \$13.00.	
China Lights (New), \$10 1/2.	
H.K. Electric, \$52 1/2.	
Telephones (Old), \$23 1/2.	
Telephones (New), \$10.	
Ewo Cottons, \$12.60.	
Govt. 4% Loan, 8% Prem.	
Govt. 3 1/2% Loan, 3% Prem.	
<b>SELLERS</b>	
H.K. Lands, \$38 1/2.	
H.K. Realities, \$5.15.	
H.K. Ropes, \$3.	
<b>SALES</b>	
Rauks, \$13 1/2.	
H.K. Trams, \$12 1/2.	
China Lights (Old), \$13.00.	
Cement, \$11 1/2.	
Consol. Mines, 5 1/2 cts.	
Demonstrations, \$1.25.	

## HONG KONG SHAREBROKERS' ASSOCIATION

<b>BUYERS</b>	
Banks, \$1,720.	
Cantons, \$265.	
Humphreys, \$9.55.	
Ewos, \$12 1/2.	
Trams, \$12 1/2.	
Star Ferries, \$93 1/2.	
Y. Ferries, \$25.	
China Lights, \$13.00.	
Electric, \$53.	
Dairy Farms, \$21.	
Construction New, 4 1/2 cts.	
Atoka, 79 cts.	
Paracale Gumaus, 76 cts.	
San Mauricio, \$3.90.	
Suyoc, 70 cts.	
<b>SELLERS</b>	
Lands, \$38.	
China Lights, \$14.10.	
<b>SALES</b>	
Trams, \$12 1/2.	
Atoka, 84 cts.	
Paracale Gumaus, 74 cts.	
Big Wedge, 61 cts.	
Cement, \$11.25.	

## SINGAPORE RAW RUBBER Latest Singapore Prices

Messrs. H. B. Joseph & Co. received the following quotations from Singapore in Straits Currency for Raw Rubber:	
Buyers	Up
Spot	30 1/2
December	30 1/2
Jan.-March	31
April-June	31 1/2
Market	Firmer.

## LONDON EXCHANGE RATES

(British Wireless Service)	
	November 19.
Paris	105 9/64
Geneva	212 7/8
Berlin	12 1/2
Athens	54 1/2
Milan	92 15/16
Shanghai	4.89 3/16
New York	9.04 1/2
Amsterdam	138 1/2
Vienna	138 1/2
Prague	138 1/2
Bucharest	138 1/2
Madrid	138 1/2
Lisbon	138 1/2
Hong Kong	1/2 15/16
Brussels	28.93
Montevideo	4.88 1/2
Belgrade	4.88 1/2
Montreal	4.88 1/2
Yokohama	4.88 1/2
Helsingfors	4.88 1/2
Rio	4.88 1/2
Buenos Aires	21
Silver (Spot)	21
Silver (Forward)	3 1/2 106 11/16
War Loan	3 1/2 106 11/16

## Closing Quotations

November 25, 1936.	
On London:	
Telegraphic Transfer	1 1/2
Bank Bills, on demand	37 3/4
Credit, four months	1 1/2 8/32
On Shanghai:	
On Demand	10 1/2
On Singapore:	
On Demand	52 11/16
On Japan:	
On Demand	106 1/2
On India:	
Telegraphic Transfer	8 1/2
Bank, on demand	10 1/2

## PHILIPPINE MINING NEWS

Washington, Nov. 17.—The Philippine "gold boom" during the first year of the Commonwealth added impetus to a sharp upswing in business and contributed greatly to one of the most prosperous years in the Islands' history, department of commerce authorities said recently, states the "Manila Bulletin."

Fears that home rule would have a depressing effect on the economic life of the young Commonwealth proved groundless as production and consumption, exports and imports increased generally, with gold leading the way.

Up to the first of October, the Philippines had a favourable trade balance of \$34,500,000 as compared with \$7,500,000 for the same period in 1935. Authorities emphasized these figures as a good index to the rapid economic development of the Islands under the government of President Manuel Quezon.

For the first nine months of 1936, Philippine gold exports to the United States—the Islands' chief export market—totalled \$15,454,904 as compared with \$15,335,487 for the entire year 1935.

United States trade experts predicted that the Philippines would export an additional \$3,500,000 worth of gold to the United States before the end of this year, bringing the 1936 total to approximately \$19,000,000.

During the first ten months of President Quezon's government, the Philippines exported nearly \$19,000,000 worth of gold to the United States.

Philippine gold production exceeded \$2,000,000 during last September for the first time in history, and the entire year's production is expected to exceed \$21,500,000, representing an increase of approximately \$5,000,000 over 1935.

The previous record output for one month was established last August and totalled \$1,916,144. The department of commerce said the record established in August and broken in September was due largely to the fact that Coto Grove placer operations, which had been producing for several months previously, reported their production for the first time.

The Islands' gold production is expected to increase considerably during 1937. A majority of the gold mining companies are extending operations and purchasing new machinery capable of producing larger quantities of ore in much less time.

Increased gold mining activity has been accompanied by improved conditions in other branches of the mining industry, particularly

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THE EXCHANGE  
MARKET

MESSRS. ROZA BROS.

Hong Kong, Nov. 25.  
Silver prices dropped 3/16 yesterday for both deliveries, the quotations being 20 15/16 for Ready and Forward. The drop in prices yesterday was due to Indian and general selling. There was lack of support. After the official fixing India sold again and prices declined 1/16. Towards the close the market steadied up and business was reported at the fixed rate. In America the rate was given at 45 1/8 Spot.

The London-New York cross-rate was quoted at 4.89 1/2. New York-London was quoted at 4.89 1/2.

## MARKET

A shade steadier than yesterday.  
STERLING  
Business was done shortly after the opening at 1/2 15/16 for December, 1st half January and 1/2 29/32 was also arranged for March delivery. The market closed with small sellers at 1/2 15/16 November-1st half January and 1/2 29/32 January-March, buyers at 1/32 higher respectively.

U.S. DOLLARS  
Business was reported early in the morning at 30 7/16 for February delivery. The market closed with sellers at 30 7/16 November-January and 30 3/8 February-March-April, buyers at 30 1/2 Cash-January and probably 30 7/16 February-March-April.

SHANGHAI DOLLARS  
Business was reported at 102 7/16 for cash. Sellers at 102 3/8, buyers at 102 7/16 for cash.

SHANGHAI MARKET  
There were sellers of Sterling at 1/2 9/16, buyers probably at 1/2 10/32 for Spot. U.S. Dollars, sellers at 29 11/16, buyers at 29 3/4 for Spot.

## FINANCE

JAPAN AND CHINESE  
COTTON MILLS

Japanese cotton interests whose export policy, according to Sir George Sansom's recent report, states a Home paper, has received a check by the imposition of tariffs, exchange regulations, and quotas by importing countries are none the less planning an additional and even cheaper flood of cotton goods by their exploitation of Chinese production.

The cotton industry of North China, it is claimed, is highly promising, provided of course, there is a maintenance of peace and order—presumably Japanese. China's advantages over Japan are recent great improvement in Chinese cotton, of which grades equivalent to American cotton are obtainable at prices 7 to 8 yen lower; that taxation is lower in China than in Japan; that labour hours are longer, a double-shift system of twelve hours each being possible, while wages are one-third of Japan's standard; and that electric power is 30 per cent cheaper than in Japan.

According to the "Japan Chronicle," the Japanese are making amazing headway in Tientsin and elsewhere. Of six Chinese mills in Tientsin four have passed into Japanese ownership, while the others are under joint management. "New mills are under construction, and at the beginning of October there were 240,000 spindles in operation 180,000 under installation, and 110,000 to be ordered.

Expansion of the Japanese mills in Tientsin will bring the present total of 690,000 spindles to 890,000 spindles by the spring. Negotiations for a mill in Tientsin are being hampered by the local authorities, but if their objections are met it is calculated that Japan will own or control 1,200,000 spindles in North China. Looms, too, are being increased commensurately, and soon Chinese piece goods may be placed on the world's markets.

BRITISH TRADE  
IN CHINA

London, Nov. 24.

The question of credit facilities for British trade in China was discussed by Mr. William Kirkpatrick and other members of the Export Credits Guarantee Department today at a meeting with representatives of the engineers' section of the Manchester Chamber of Commerce.

Mr. Kirkpatrick, who has already been selected to represent British Export Credit in China, expressed the opinion after the meeting that there were distinct signs of valuable opportunities for an enlarged share of China's import trade in capital goods of British manufacture.

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## NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

(Through Reuter's Service)

## QUOTATIONS

New York, November 25.

New York/London Cross-rate	High	Low	Last Close	Today's Close	Change
New York Cotton—Mar.	11.69	11.60	11.60	11.60	unchanged
New York Rubber—Mar.	18.24	18.00	18.14	18.13	up
Chicago Wheat—May	115 1/4	114 1/4	115 1/4	115 1/4	up
Chicago Corn—May	98 1/2	98 1/4	98 1/2	98 1/2	up
Silver—Official	—	—	45 1/2	45 1/2	up

Dow Jones Averages	High	Low	Nov. 24	Nov. 25	Change
30 Industrials	183.39	183.11	178.63	181.11	2.48 up
20 Rails	60.45	60.68	64.73	65.43	65.88 up
20 Utilities	38.08	38.23	34.33	35.03	34.37 up
40 Bonds	108.62	108.32	105.36	106.38	106.38 up
11 Commodity Index	73.19	73.18	72.81	73.16	73.16 up

Business Done: 1,330,000 shares.

Stocks	Last Sale Nov. 23	Nov. 24	Nov. 25	Change
Adams Express	144 1/4	144 1/4	144 1/4	38 1/2
Allis Chalmers	67 1/2	67 1/2	67 1/2	38 1/2
Amer. Can.	123 1/2	123 1/2	123 1/2	38 1/2
Am. Car & Foundry	36 1/2	37	37	72 1/2
Amer. Cyanamid	64	64	64	62 1/2
Amer. & For. Power	47 1/2	47 1/2	47 1/2	120 1/2
Amer. & For. 37 pf.	47 1/2	47 1/2	47 1/2	25 1/2
Amer. Locomotive	34 1/2	35 1/2	35 1/2	59 1/2
Amer. Metals	48 1/2	49 1/2	49 1/2	194 1/2
Amer. Radiator	21 1/2	22	22	161 1/2
Amer. Rolling Mill	33 1/2	34 1/2	34 1/2	61 1/2
Amer. Smelting	95 1/2	97	97	23 1/2
Amer. Steel P'ries	61 1/2	62 1/2	62 1/2	47 1/2
Amer. Sugar	55 1/2	56 1/2	56 1/2	47 1/2
Amer. Tel. & Tel.	183 1/2	183 1/2	183 1/2	100 1/2
Amer. Tobacco "B"	100 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2	64 1/2
Amer. Waterworks	25 1/2	25 1/2	25 1/2	194 1/2
Anaconda Copper	49 1/2	50 1/2	50 1/2	29 1/2
Atchafalpa, T. & S. Fe.	72 1/2	73 1/2	73 1/2	25 1/2
Atlantic Refining	30 1/2	30 1/2	30 1/2	30 1/2
Atlas Corp.	16 1/2	16 1/2	16 1/2	11 1/2
Auburn Motors	33 1/2	34 1/2	34 1/2	41 1/2
Baldwin Locomotive	26 1/2	26 1/2	26 1/2	15 1/2
Baltimore & Ohio	21 1/2	22 1/2	22 1/2	30 1/2
Barnsdall Oil	19 1/2	19 1/2	19 1/2	26 1/2
Bendix Aviation	68 1/2	70 1/2	70 1/2	36 1/2
Bethlehem Steel	32 1/2	33 1/2	33 1/2	49 1/2
Boeing Airplane	28 1/2	28 1/2	28 1/2	118 1/2
Borden Co.	60 1/2	61 1/2	61 1/2	21 1/2
Briggs Manufacturing	54 1/2	54 1/2	54 1/2	11 1/2
Brooklyn-Manhattan	101 1/2	103 1/2	103 1/2	41 1/2
Case, J.I.	152 1/2	155 1/2	155 1/2	15 1/2
Canadian Pacific	131 1/2	133 1/2	133 1/2	30 1/2
Celanese Corp. of America	27 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2	26 1/2
Cerro de Pasco	58 1/2	59 1/2	59 1/2	54 1/2
Certain-Teed P'ducts	13 1/2	14 1/2	14 1/2	53 1/2
Chesapeake Corp.	80 1/2	80 1/2	80 1/2	98 1/2
Chesapeake & Ohio	71 1/2	71 1/2	71 1/2	97 1/2
Chrysler Corp.	124 1/2	126 1/2	126 1/2	24 1/2
Columbia Gas & El.	17 1/2	17 1/2	17 1/2	17 1/2
Columbia 6% "A" P't.	104 1/2	104 1/2	104 1/2	15 1/2
Commercial Credit	78 1/2	78 1/2	78 1/2	28 1/2
Commercial Solvents	18 1/2	18 1/2	18 1/2	40 1/2
Commonwealth & S.	34 1/2	34 1/2	34 1/2	16 1/2
Cum. P't.	71 1/2	69 1/2	69 1/2	61 1/2
Consolidated Edison	45 1/2	45 1/2	45 1/2	57 1/2
Consolidated Oil	12 1/2	13 1/2	13 1/2	65 1/2
Continental Oil	35 1/2	36 1/2	36 1/2	65 1/2
Corn. Products	70 1/2	70 1/2	70 1/2	31 1/2
Curtiss Wright (C.)	64 1/2	64 1/2	64 1/2	22 1/2
Curtiss Wright "A"	19 1/2	21 1/2	21 1/2	23 1/2
Delaware & Hudson	44 1/2	45 1/2	45 1/2	41 1/2
Del. Lackawanna & Western	17 1/2	18 1/2	18 1/2	20 1/2
Distillers Corp. Sec.	25 1/2	26 1/2	26 1/2	24 1/2
Douglas Aircraft	72 1/2	73 1/2	73 1/2	174 1/2
Du Pont	180 1/2	181 1/2	181 1/2	174 1/2
Electric Boat	124 1/2	124 1/2	124 1/2	364 1/2
Elec. Bond & Share	18 1/2	20 1/2	20 1/2	46 1/2
Elec. Bond & Share	68 1/2	67 1/2	67 1/2	100 1/2
Elec. Bond & Share	78 1/2	78 1/2	78 1/2	101 1/2
Elec. Power & Light	17 1/2	17 1/2	17 1/2	131 1/2
Firestone Tire & R.	36 1/2	38 1/2	38 1/2	25 1/2
Flintkote	25 1/2	25 1/2	25 1/2	28 1/2
Gen. Asphalt	52 1/2	52 1/2	52 1/2	15 1/2
Gen. Cigar	50 1/2	51 1/2	51 1/2	6 1/2
Gen. Electric	42 1/2	43 1/2	43 1/2	41 1/2
Gen. Foods	69 1/2	70 1/2	70 1/2	44 1/2
Gen. Motors	43 1/2	43 1/2	43 1/2	97 1/2
Gen. Railway Signal	152 1/2	154 1/2	154 1/2	72 1/2
Gillette Safety Razor	25 1/2	26 1/2	26 1/2	74 1/2
Glidden	13 1/2	13 1/2	13 1/2	22 1/2
Gold Dust	27 1/2	28 1/2	28 1/2	22 1/2
Goodrich (B.F.)	88 1/2	88 1/2	88 1/2	164 1/2
Goodrich 5% P't.	27 1/2	28 1/2	28 1/2	174 1/2
Goodyear	27 1/2	28 1/2	28 1/2	139 1/2
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the oil-filler in the valve cover, the diprod, the coil, the make-and-break and distributor, which have a micrometer adjustment and automatic advance and retard, the oil pump on the side of the base with the drain plug below, the pressure oil filter, the radiator tap, and, on the dash, the electric petrol pump with its flexible lead and the tank for the hydraulic jacks. The water filler is outside the bonnet; the circulation is controlled thermostatically. On the outside are two down-draught carburetors with a large air cleaner and silencer. They are synchronized and have a balancing pipe. A tap allows the jacket to be drained. There is no difficulty in getting at these parts, nor is there in reaching the filler plug on the cam steering box, or the fluid tank for the hydraulic brakes; and the spare oil tin, on the dash.

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All Claims against the Steamer must be presented to the Underwriter on or before the 14th Dec. 1936, or they will not be recognized.

To comply with the General Bonded Warehouse Regulations, consignees must have a Revenue Officer in attendance when damaged dutiable goods are examined.

All broken, chafed and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 26th Nov. 1936, at 9 a.m. by Messrs. Carmichael & Clark.

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Consignees must have a Revenue Officer in attendance when any dutiable goods are examined by the Company's Surveyors.

No Fire Insurance will be effected by us in any case whatever.

R. OHL,  
Agent.  
Hong Kong, 24th Nov., 1936. [4886]

## KING'S FIRST SPEECH

Like his father, the King in his first Speech from the Throne proved himself complete master of the difficult acoustics of the House of Lords, states the "Daily Telegraph."

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All claims against the vessel must be presented to the undersigned on or before the 10th prox. or they will not be recognized.

All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 30th inst. at 10 a.m. by our surveyors, Messrs. Goddard & Douglas.

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All broken, chafed and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on any Tuesdays and Fridays between the hours of 10.45 a.m. and Noon within the Free Storage period.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Steamer's Godown, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 23rd Nov., will be subject to rent.

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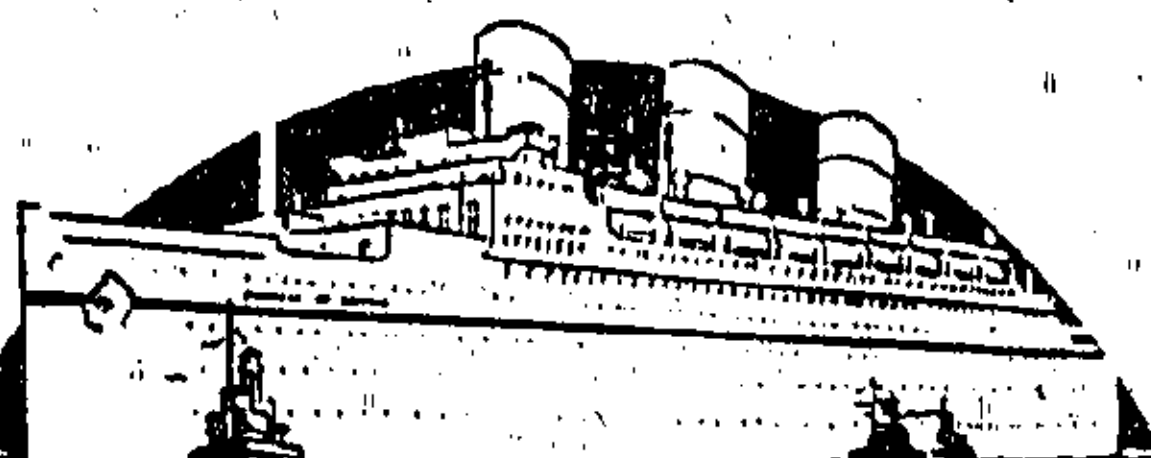
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## ARRIVALS

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 25.

Kwai Sang, British steamer, 1,435 tons, Captain M. Costello, from Canton, buoy No. B2—J. M. & Co.

Chong Lee, Chinese steamer, 1,249 tons, Captain M. Tanida, from Canton, buoy No. B11—Kwong Wo Shing.

Jaya, Danish steamer, 5,525 tons, Capt. Skjoldam, from Shanghai, buoy No. A1—East Asiatic & Co.

Africa Maru, Japanese steamer, 5,941 tons, Capt. Y. Miyahara, from Calcutta via Singapore, general cargo, buoy No. A7—O. S. K.

Cremer, Dutch steamer, 2,785 tons, Captain J. W. Kummer, from Amoy via Swatow, buoy No. A2—J. C. J. Line.

Tai Yuan, British steamer, 2,100 tons, Captain J. K. Clark, from Canton, buoy No. B1—B. & S.

Tourcoing, Norwegian steamer, 3,578 tons, Captain Jean Berg, from Dairen via Shanghai, lying at buoy No. A4—Thoresen & Co.

Shantung, British steamer, 1,568 tons, Captain J. G. Brown, from Shanghai via Foochow, mooring to buoy No. B1—B. & S.

Prosper, Norwegian steamer, 1,377 tons, Captain S. Larsen, from Swatow, general cargo, lying at buoy No. B4—C. M. S. N. & Co.

Hozan Maru, Japanese steamer, 1,383 tons, Captain H. Sato, from Swatow, O. S. K. Wharf—O. S. K.

Hai Chen, Chinese steamer, 2,060 tons, Captain H. Y. Hu, from Shanghai via Swatow, general cargo, C.M.S.N. Co.'s Wharf—C. M. S. N. & Co.

Hai Li, Chinese steamer, 2,055 tons, Captain S. P. Teng, from Canton, C. M. S. N.'s Wharf—C. M. S. N. & Co.

Hai Yang, British steamer, 1,431 tons, Captain W. G. Erwin, from Foochow and Amoy via Swatow, general cargo, lying at Douglas Wharf—Douglas & Co.

Sui Yung, British steamer, 1,594 tons, Captain F. Gibbs, from Canton, lying at buoy No. B13—B. & S.

Willandra, British steamer, 3,278 tons, Captain A. D. Williamson, from Melbourne via Manila, lying at buoy No. A9—Dodwell & Co.

Taybank, British steamer, 3,431 tons, Captain Robertson, from Manila, general cargo, mooring to buoy No. A15—Bank Line.

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 24.

Tai Poo Sek, French steamer, 1,219 tons, Captain J. Bonnamour, from K. C. Wan, general cargo, lying at buoy No. C1—Tai Fung & Co.

Michael Jensen, Danish steamer, 1,342 tons, Captain G. Elberg,

NEWS FROM THE  
WATERFRONTFreight And Asiatic  
Passengers Returns

(BY LONGSHOREMAN).

The freight returns, received from the Harbour Office during the 24 hours ended at 9.00 a.m. yesterday, showed a considerably high tonnage movement, a large proportion of which being contributed by British and Norwegian ships.

The total tonnage of general cargo carried by vessels to the Colony was 15,119 tons, with British steamers carrying 7,697 tons.

Through cargo for ports beyond the Colony amounted to 27,000 tons, of which 7,927 tons were carried by British steamers.

Asiatic deck passengers entering into the Colony during the 24 hours ended at 9.00 a.m. yesterday were 1,835, of which 1,159 were from British steamers.

There were altogether twenty-four arrivals, of which 12 were of British registry, the remainder being of other nationalities, while of the 21 departures, eleven were British ships, the rest being of other different countries. Particulars as follows:-

Nationality	Ships	Tonnage
British	12	15,624
French	2	5,857
Norwegian	4	18,233
Danish	1	
Japanese	3	1,312
Chinese	2	1,294
Total	24	42,119

## CLEARANCES

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 25.

Corneville for Los Angeles

Kiangsu for Swatow

Prosper for Canton

Hajos for Swatow

Tai Yuan for Amoy

Willy for Miri

Selstan for Swatow

Fukken Maru for Swatow

Ranchi for Yokohama

Nanchang for Swatow

Chichibu Maru for Shanghai

Empress of Russia for Shanghai

Kwai Sang for Swatow

Sui Yang for Swatow

Hai Li for Swatow

Hai Chen for Canton

Shantung for Canton

Tourcoing for Singapore

Africa Maru for Moji

Java for Singapore

from Bangkok via Manila, buoy No. B10—Chin Seng Hong.  
Yuen Sang, British steamer, 1,883 tons, Captain W. Field-Hook, from Kobe via Amoy, general cargo, Kowloon Wharf—J. M. & Co.

MOVEMENTS OF  
SHIPS

## To Day's Arrivals

S.S. ROGGEVEEN

(BY T. S. M.)

The S.S. "Roggeveen" of the Java-China-Japan Line is due here to-day, and will be moored to one of the Harbour Buoys.

She comes from Saigon, and will leave here for Bangkok, Batavia, Mauritius, Reunion, Madagascar and South Africa to-morrow at 10.00 a.m. Letters of destination will be received at the General Post Office up to 9.30 a.m. to-morrow.

S.S. NALDERA

The S.S. "Naldera" of the P. & O. Line (Mackinnon, Mackenzie & Co., Agents), is expected to arrive here to-morrow at 8 a.m., and will berth alongside the Kowloon Wharf.

She comes from Japan, Shanghai and Europe (via Siberia) and will leave here for the Straits, Ceylon, India, East and South Africa, Aden, Egypt and Europe (via Marseilles—due Marseilles, December 15th) on Saturday, November 28th.

Parcels will be received at the General Post Office and Kowloon Post Office up to 5.00 p.m., to-morrow, while registered articles and letters of destination will be received up to 9.45 a.m. and 10.30 a.m. on Saturday, November 28.

Registered articles and letters for the R.M.S. Service—due Amsterdam, December 7, will be received at the General Post Office and Kowloon Post Office up to 9.30 a.m. and 10.00 a.m. on Saturday, November 28.

S.S. LYCAON

The S.S. "Lycaon" of the Butterfield and Swire is due here on Sunday at about 6.00 a.m., and will berth at the Kowloon Wharf.

She comes from the Straits, and will leave here for Shanghai and Europe (via Siberia) on Monday, November 30. Letters of destination will be received at the General Post Office up to 2.30 p.m. on Monday, November 30.

M.S. VAN HEUTZ

The M.S. "Van Heutz" of the Java-China-Japan Line is expected to arrive here on Tuesday next.

She comes from the Straits, and will sail for Singapore, Penang, Belawan and Deli on Thursday, December 10 at 4.00 p.m.

S.S. TALAWA

The B.L. Steamship "Talawa" will arrive here on Thursday next. She comes from Amoy, and will leave here for Singapore, Port Swettenham, Penang, Rangoon and Calcutta on Saturday, December 12 at 10.30 a.m.

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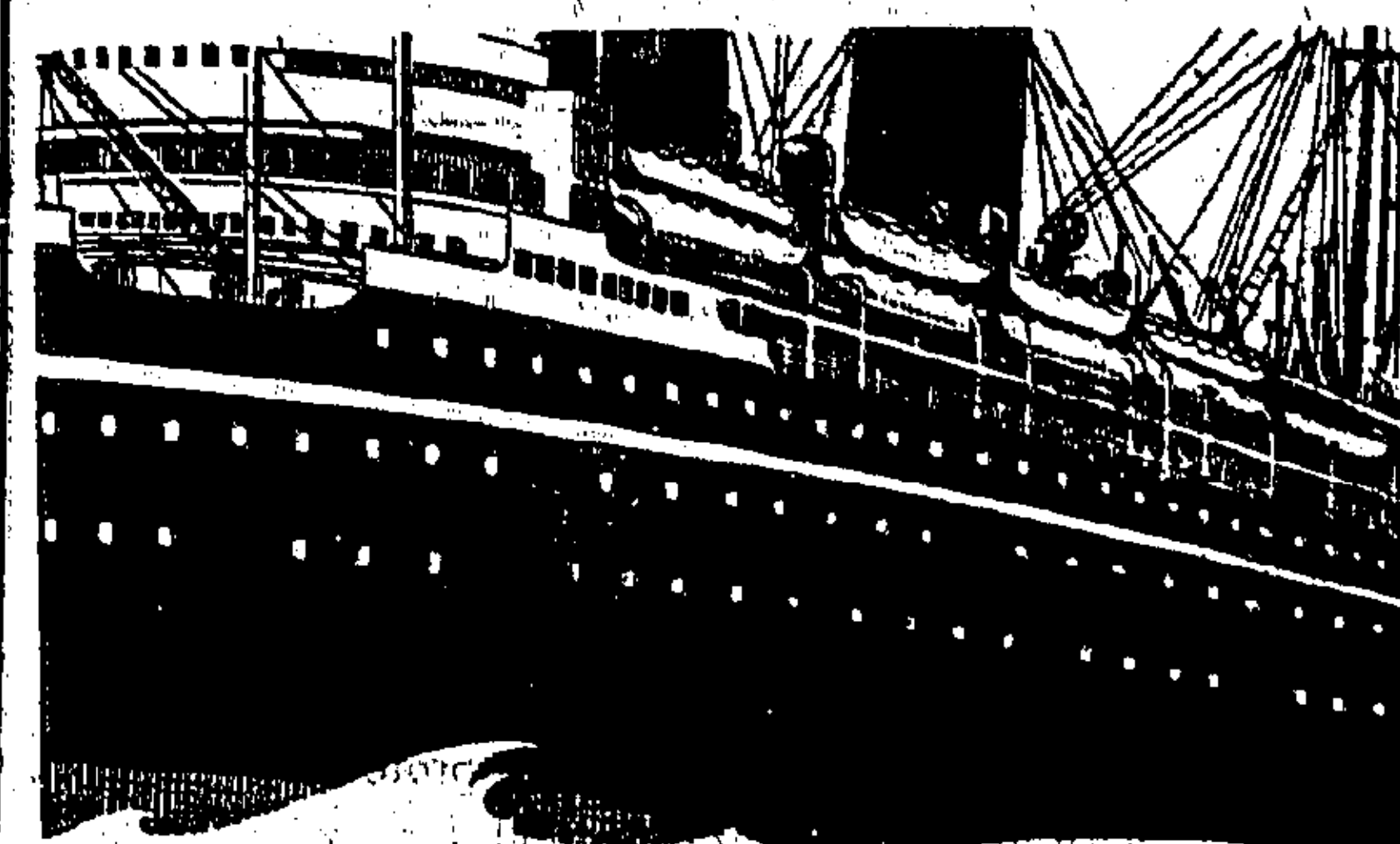
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JEYPORE	6,000	9th Dec.	Bombay, Karachi & Persian Gulf
RANCHI	17,000	13th Dec.	Bombay, Marseilles & London
COMORIN	15,000	26th Dec.	Bombay, Marseilles & London
SOMALI	7,000	2nd Jan.	Bombay, Marseilles, Havre, London, Hull, R'dam, R'ham & Antwerp
RAJPUTANA	17,000	9th Jan.	Bombay, Marseilles & London
RANPURA	17,000	23rd Jan.	Bombay, Marseilles & London
BANGALORE	6,000	30th Jan.	Mars. Havre, London, H'burg, R'dam, A'werp & Hull
RAWALPINDI	17,000	6th Feb.	Marseilles & London
COBPU	14,500	20th Feb.	Mars. Havre, London, H'burg, R'dam, A'werp & Hull
BHUTAN	6,000	27th Feb.	Bombay, Marseilles & London
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NANKIN	7,000	22nd Jan.	Sydney, Melbourne & Hobart
NELLORE	7,000	20th Jan.	

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SANTHA	8,000	27th Nov.	Amoy, Shanghai & Japan
COMORIN	15,000	27th Nov.	Shanghai & Japan
SOMALI	7,000	28th Dec.	Shanghai & Japan
NANKIN	7,000	6th Dec.	do
TALAMBA	8,000	10th Dec.	Amoy, Shanghai & Japan
RAJPUTANA	17,000	11th Dec.	Shanghai & Japan
TALMA	10,000	24th Dec.	Kobe, Shanghai & Japan
RANPURA	17,000	25th Dec.	Shanghai & Japan
BANGALORE	6,000	26th Dec.	do
NELLORE	7,000	3rd Jan.	do
SIRDHANA	8,000	7th Jan.	Amoy, Shanghai & Japan
RAWALPINDI	17,000	8th Jan.	Shanghai & Japan

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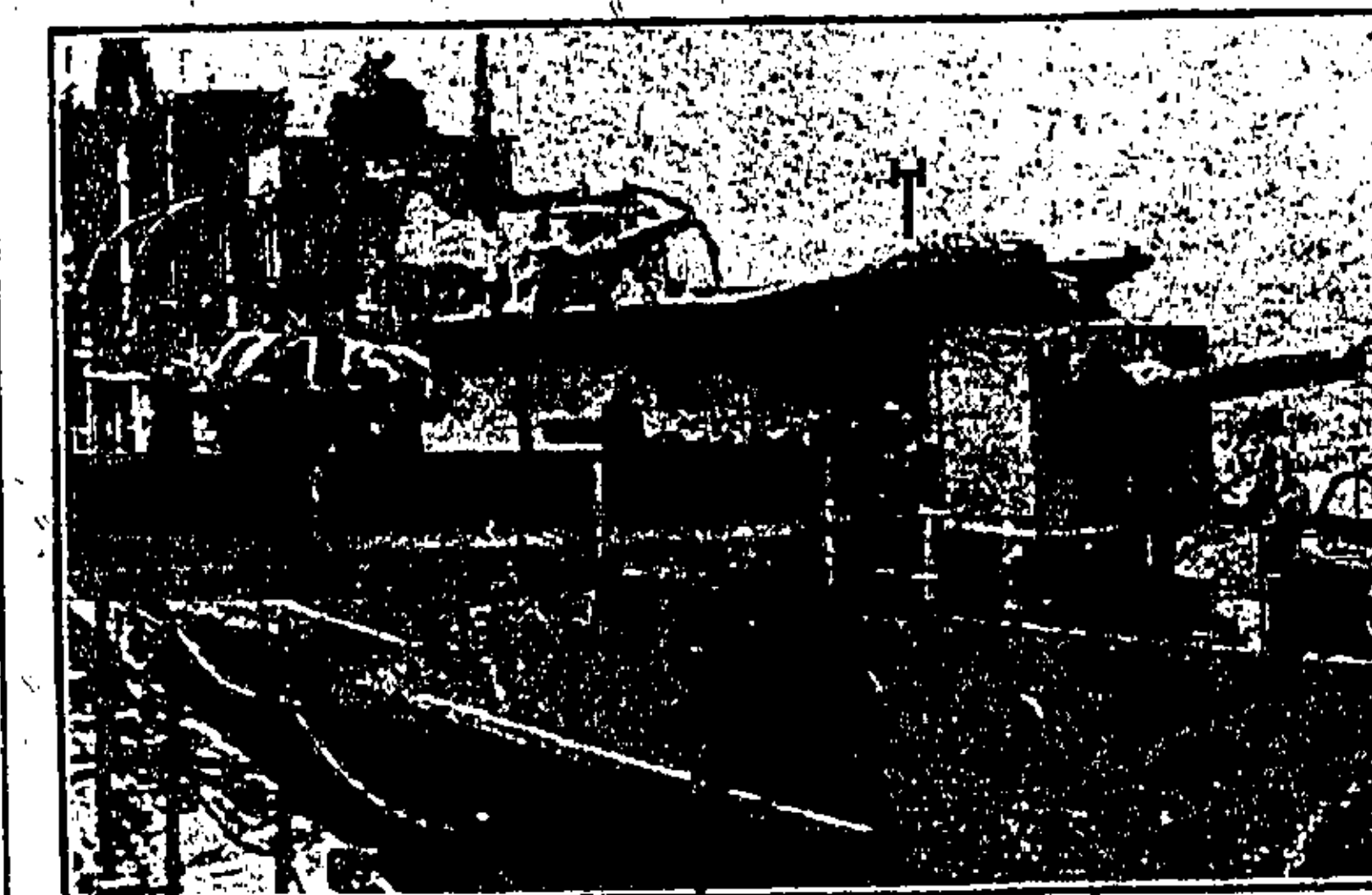
## TRAINING GALLOPS

The following times were recorded at the Valley training gallops yesterday:—

	Dis- tance	1st Qr.	2nd Qr.	3rd Qr.	4th Qr.	5th Qr.	Last Qr.
Amberley	1	42	1.27.2	2.03.1			35.4
King's Bounty	1	41	1.18.2	1.54.1			35.4
Cassius	1	42.2	1.35.1	2.05.2			30.1
Philanderer	1	43.2	1.27.2	2.08.1	2.43.1		35
Violet Queen	1	34	1.04.4	1.33.1			28.2
Honeymoon Eve and Herold	1	41.3	1.21.1	1.55.1	2.25.3		30.2
Bistre	1	35	1.11.3	1.46	2.19	2.51.2	32.2
Ranger	1	33.3	1.05.3	1.33.1			27.3
Blandford	1	45	1.28.4	2.02.2	2.49.4	3.24.2	34.3
Just That	1	31.2	1.02.3	1.31.1			28.3
Flybynight	1	46	1.37	2.11.2	2.42.2		31
Racing Boy	1	39	1.12	1.47.2	2.19.2		32
Victoria Hall	1	35.4	1.11.4	1.45.2	2.19		32.3
Soldier of Honour and New Star	1	36.2	1.12.3	1.46.4	2.19.3		32.4
Copper Idol	1	33.3	1.11	1.45	2.18.1		33.1
Ocean View	1	37.1	1.12.4	1.47.3	2.19		31.2
Soldier of Peace and Gold Sovereign	1	42	1.19.2	1.55.1	2.25		32.4
Cavalcade	1	38.3	1.15.3	1.48.4			33.1
Emergency Call	1	39.3	1.20	1.54.2	2.28.1		33.4
Australian Boy	1	34	1.04.2	1.31.4			27.2
Valorous	1	36.1	1.12	1.48	2.19		31
Spinaway	1	38.4	1.12.2	1.46.2	2.16.1		29.4
Donovan and Rousseau	1	48.3	1.31.3	2.08	2.39		31

### MACAO TIMES (NOVEMBER 21)

Gold Reserve	1	43	1.23	2.00	2.34		34
Hogmanay	1	41	1.21	2.00	2.34		34
Victory Life	1	37	1.11	1.45	2.17		32
Brown Bee	1	37	1.11	1.45	2.18		33
Shanghai 4	1	43	1.21	1.57	2.29		32
Merry Fatty	1	38	1.13	1.47	2.20		33
Shih Yin Grand	1	39	1.17	1.53	2.25		32
Rothsay Bay	1	38	1.14	1.48	2.22		34
Wentworth	1	38	1.14	1.48	2.21		33
Coureur Bleu	1	41	1.21	1.58	2.32		34
City Life	1	44	1.23	1.59	2.33		34
Hurdling Morn	1	42	1.21	1.58	2.32		34



Admiral of the Fleet Sir John Kelly was buried at sea. The coffin being carried aboard H.M.S. Curacao. The late Sir John Kelly was formerly C-in-C. China Station.

## U.S. SHIPPING STRIKE CONTINUES

New York, Nov. 25.

Although the maritime strike leaders declared that seven steamship companies have made peace offers during the last three days, there are no signs of settlement. Meanwhile the strikers' ranks were swelled yesterday when 228 members of the crew of the s.s. President Roosevelt walked off as the liner docked, and deck officers, engineers and radio operators joined in the walk-out in Philadelphia.

Alaskan towns are rationing their food supplies, and the strikers have been requested to man the emergency supply ships to Alaska and Hawaii.

The 447 passengers who were marooned in Hawaii for three weeks left for the United States aboard the s.s. Monterey, the strikers not interfering with their embarkation.

### AID FOR ALASKA

Later: The San Francisco manager of the Alaska Railroad says that the striking Maritime Union have verbally agreed to man the vessel chartered by the Railroad to relieve Alaska's food shortage.

## AUSTRALIAN TEST PROBABLES

Grimmett Passed Over

Sydney, Nov. 25.

Australia's team for the first Test match against England at Brisbane on December 4, will be chosen from D. G. Bradman (South Australia), W. A. Brown (N.S.W.), C. Badcock (South Australia), A. G. Chipperfield (N.S.W.), J. H. Fingleton (N.S.W.), S. J. McCabe (N.S.W.), E. L. McCormick (Victoria), W. A. Oldfield (N.S.W.), W. J. O'Reilly (N.S.W.), R. Robinson (N.S.W.), F. Ward (South Australia) and M. W. Sievers (Victoria). McCormick, Robinson, Ward and Sievers are newcomers to Test cricket. A notable absentee is C. V. Grimmett.

## FRENCH CONVENT

Mrs. A. W. Bartholomew will distribute the prizes at the Annual Prize Giving of the French Convent School which will take place on Monday, December 7 at 5 p.m.

## N.S.A. LEADERS HANDED OVER TO CHINESE

Shanghai, Nov. 25.

Three of the seven alleged National Salvation Association leaders were handed over to the Chinese authorities by the Settlement Police late yesterday, following their re-arrest on a warrant issued by Judge Nyih, charging them with committing acts with intent to injure the Chinese public.

The three are Li Kung-po, Shen Chung-ju and Wong Tsao-shih.

A curious legal situation arose when the Judge announced in Court that he had cancelled the warrant on which the men were arrested, but he stated that the exhibition of the three men was purely an administrative matter. They were thereupon removed from the Court, by the Settlement Police.

## MR. LAU WAI CHI RETURNS TO CANTON

Mr. Lau Wai-chi, Head of the Kwangtung Department of Reconstruction, returned to Canton last night by the s.s. "Tai Shan", after having attended the ceremony of the re-opening of the Bank of Canton by Mr. T. V. Soong, Chairman of the Board of Directors, and also Chairman of the National Economic Council.

## TRAIN CRASH IN AMERICA

Chicago, Nov. 25. Twenty people were killed and 100 seriously injured when the Milwaukee express crashed into the rear of a local elevated train in the city.

## NEW AMBASSADOR

Lisbon, Nov. 25. Senor Almeida Monteiro, former Foreign Minister, has been appointed Portuguese Ambassador to London.

## SLUM CLEARANCE

(Continued from Page 1)

a model settlement in the outskirts of the town. Encouraged by the fact of the high cost of living in the Colony, due to the excessive rents paid for house property of all descriptions, whether for dwelling houses, shops or stores, these gentlemen hoped to establish in the New Territory conveniently near to Kowloon a garden city in which families might live with greater comfort and more economically than was possible in Hong Kong.

Prior to that date the ownership of house property in Hong Kong was in a state of monopoly, although in an unorganised form. The whole scheme, to counteract this, therefore, was to enable tenants to become owners of the houses they occupied.

### LAND IN ABUNDANCE

Land was, and still is, abundant and suitable for the purpose in the New Territory and the pioneering group realised that to build this garden city, the mutual help of the Government and the public was indispensable. Negotiations were carried out with the Government who saw that this scheme would offer inducements to the medical, scholastic, religious, and commercial institutions to establish branches there.

It is as the result of this and other later schemes that the Homuntin and Kowloon Tong districts were created. But in none of these cases was special attention paid to the relief of Hong Kong's congested slums.

### FORGOTTEN RACE

According to one prominent architect in the city, the Colonial Government has ever been lukewarm towards this type of relief work. The poor in the Colony literally belong to a forgotten race and except for the philanthropic work which is still now being carried out among the indigent, there is little hope for the poor to expect better housing conditions than that which they now have.

### VESTED INTERESTS

It was hinted that the local Government is hoarding all its land, which benefits only the large vested interests. The poor man, it was pointed out, has no "finger in the pie" in the tracts of land which are still awaiting to be opened to the Colony's residents.

### NO SCHEMES SUGGESTED

This same informant was of the opinion that any scheme for slum relief must be entirely a Government affair but investigations in that quarter revealed that no such scheme has even been suggested.

## MOTOR SMASH

(Continued from Page 1)

Lam Fong, who was sitting next to the driver of the lorry on the ill-fated day said the lorry was used to carry earth from the new Government Civil Hospital site to the end of Kennedy Town. The lorry had made six trips and after the sixth trip the men went to have lunch in a shop in Kennedy Town. When they returned they started the lorry off and proceeded to go to Mount Davis Road and there ran out of gas. He (witness) went and bought some petrol and filled up the tank, but failed to start the lorry.

The lorry was turned downhill to start up the engine, having done so the lorry was turned back and proceeded up the hill very slowly. A car was seen coming in the opposite direction and unable to avoid the car which was going about 30 to 35 m.p.h. The car hit the lorry and then he (witness) fainted and when he recovered he found himself in a hospital.

### THEORY EXPLAINED

Inspector Saunders gave evidence and with the aid of a model car and lorry he demonstrated to the court the condition of the accident and his theory of how the car collided with the lorry.

A verdict of "death from misadventure" was returned. The jury comprising Messrs. C. E. Gahagan (foreman), D. F. Lopez and Chan Wan Pat in returning the above verdict said that they wished to associate themselves with the Coroner's expression of condolence to the relatives of the deceased.

## QUEEN OF NORWAY

The Queen of Norway, to day celebrates her 67th birthday.

## FOREIGN MAILS

### CHRISTMAS LETTER MAIL FOR CANADA AND U.S.A. & PARCEL MAILS FOR U.S.A.

The Christmas Letter mails for Canada and U.S.A. and the Parcel Mail for U.S.A. will be closed in the General Post Office and Kowloon Central Post Office as follows:—

Registered Mail 5.00 p.m., 28th November.  
Ordinary Mail 5.30 p.m., 28th November.  
Parcels (U.S.A.) 4.00 p.m., 28th November.

These mails will be forwarded by the s.s. "Pres. McKinley" and are due to arrive at San Francisco on the 20th December.

### NEW YEAR LETTER MAIL FOR GREAT BRITAIN "VIA SUZUKI"

The New Year Letter Mail for Great Britain "via Suzuki" will be closed in the General Post Office and Kowloon Central Post Office on Saturday the 28th November per s.s. "Naldara" as follows:—

Registered 9.15 a.m.,  
Ordinary 10.30 a.m.

This mail is due to arrive at London on the 28th December.

Christmas and New Year cards bearing not more than five written words and enclosed in open envelopes are accepted by the Post Office at the rate for printed matter, i.e. 4 cents per 2 ounces. Envelopes must not be closed.

Letters and Postcards for Europe and South America are forwarded "via Siberia" if so superscribed.

## INWARD MAILS

FROM	PER	DATE
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SAIGON	Sankha	28th Nov.
SAIGON	Comorin	27th Nov.
SAIGON	Canton	27th Nov.
SAIGON	Pres. Downer	27th Nov.
SAIGON	Naldara	27th Nov.
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SAIGON	Lycaon	28th Nov.
SAIGON	Conte Rosso	28th Nov.
SAIGON	Helenus	30th Nov.
SAIGON	Gomani	1st Dec.
SAIGON	Van Heuts	1st Dec.
SAIGON	Moravia	1st Dec.
SAIGON	Mirachal Joffre	1st Dec.
SAIGON	Isam	3rd Dec.
SAIGON	Tilman	3rd Dec.
SAIGON	Antiochus	4th Dec.
SAIGON	Burdwan	4th Dec.
SAIGON	Fmp. of Japan	4th Dec.
SAIGON	Manila Maru	4th Dec.
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SAIGON	Takawa Maru	4th Dec.

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FOR	PER	DATE AND TIME
THURSDAY		Thursday 26th
Edinboro	Michael Jensen	8.30 a.m.
Air Mail for Canton and Districts	C.N.A.O. plane	G.P.O. & K.P.O. Reg. Noon Letters 12.30 p.m. Parcels Noon Letters 1.00 p.m.
Straits and Calcutta	Yamaguchi	5.00 p.m.
Foochow via Swatow		Kowloon P.O. Reg. 28th, 5.00 p.m. 1st, 28th, 5.30 p.m. Shanghai P.O. Reg. 28th, 5.00 p.m. 1st, 28th, 7.00 p.m.
Air Mail for Swatow, Amoy, Foochow, and North China (via Shanghai)	C.N.A.C. plane	G.P.O. Reg. 28th, 5.00 p.m. 1st, 27th, 5.00 a.m.
Letters for "Imperial Airways Direct Service"—due London, 7th December.	R.M.A.	Dorado G.P.O. & K.P.O. Reg. 28th, 5.00 p.m. 1st, 27th, 8.30 a.m.
Letters for "Australia by Imperial Airways Service"—due Darwin, 1st December.	R.M.A.	Dorado G.P.O. & K.P.O. Reg. 28th, 5.00 p.m. 1st, 27th, 8.30 a.m.
FRIDAY		Friday, 27th
Bangkok, Batavia, Mauritius, Reunion, Madagascar and South Africa	Roggeveen	8.30 a.m.
Amoy	Tibadak	11.30 a.m.
Swatow, Amoy and Foochow	Haiyang	2.00 p.m.
Hohow, Pakhoi and Haiphong	Kwangnam	2.00 p.m.
Shanghai	Pres. Downer	2.30 p.m.
Shanghai, Japan and EUROPE via Siberia	Comorin	3.30 p.m.
Manila, Australia and New Zealand via Thursday Island—due Thursday	Kamo Maru	Reg. 5.00 p.m. Letters 5.30 p.m.
Straits, Ceylon, India, East and South Africa, Aden, Egypt and EUROPE via Marseilles—due Marseilles, 26th December	Naldara	Reg. 28th, 5.00 p.m. 1st, 28th, 9.45 a.m. 1st, 28th, 10.30 a.m.
SATURDAY		Saturday, 28th
Letters for "K.L.M. Service"—due Amsterdam, 7th Dec.	Naldara	G.P.O. & K.P.O. Reg. 9.30 a.m. 1st, 10.00 a.m.
Haiphong	Canton	2.00 p.m.
Amoy	Kingman	2.30 p.m.
Foochow	Shanghai	5.00 p.m.
Shanghai, Japan, U.S.A., Central and South America Canada and EUROPE via San Francisco—due San Francisco, 20th December and EUROPE via Siberia	Pres. McKinley	Parcels 4.00 p.m. Reg. 5.00 p.m. Letters 5.30 p.m.
SUNDAY		Sunday, 29th
Shanghai	Obakuzo	8.30 a.m.
Hohow	Kumano	8.30 a.m.
Swatow, Amoy and Formosa	Houma Maru	9.00 a.m.
MONDAY		Monday, 30th
Fort Bayard, Hohow, Pakhoi and Haiphong	G. G. Paul Downer	1.00 p.m.
Shanghai and EUROPE via Siberia	Lycaon	2.30 p.m.

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